NEW MYSTERY STORY BY JACQUES FUTRELLE ON PAGE 4

THE WEATHER.

For Boston and vicinity: Fair and colder, with minimum temperature of 20 degrees; Tuesday, fair and continued cold; light westerly winds.

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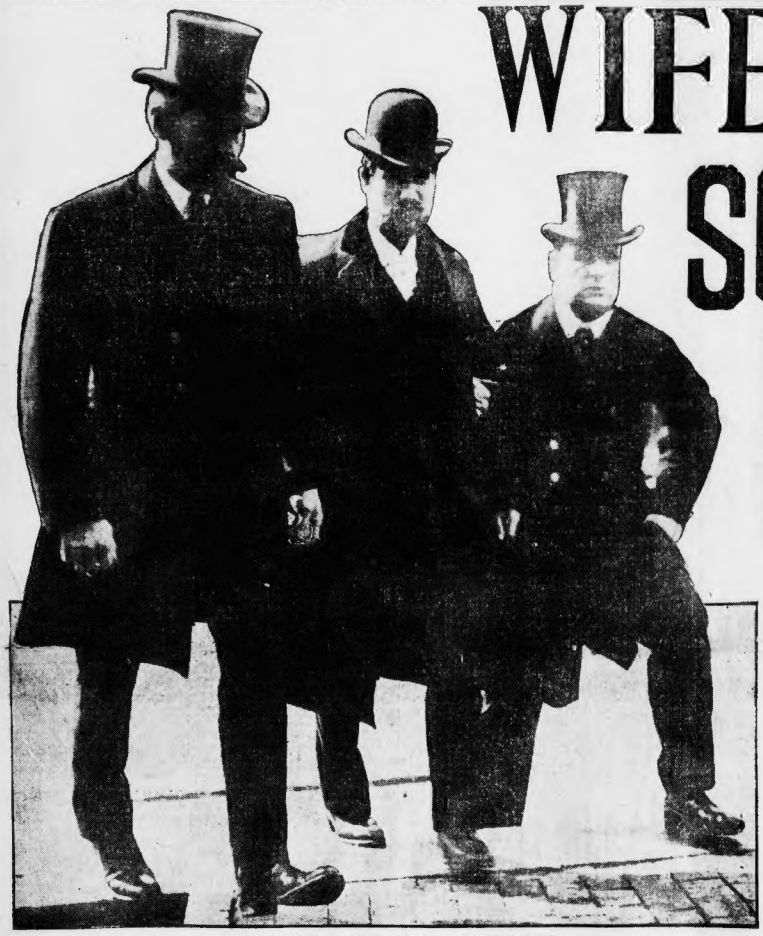
WIFE SLAYER SCHIDLOFSKI PICKS OWN JURY



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SCHIDLOFSKI GOING TO TRIAL, COURT OFFICER EVELETH ON RIGHT AND WARDWELL ON LEFT

Accused Whispered Peremptory Challenges of All Who Lived in Neighborhood of Arlington Club Links Where Woman Was Murdered.

John Schidlofski, on trial to-day for the brutal murder of his wife, Marciana, is picking his own jury.

He is weeding out, by means of the peremptory challenges allowed him, any men who live near the Arlington Golf Club links at Belmont, the scene of the crime.

He realizes the horror that such a crime arouses in the minds of those who live near the scene. He believes that although such men may think that they can try the case fairly and give a verdict on the evidence as presented there will remain that feeling of repulsion, of disgust, which will militate against the man charged with the murder.

And so, sitting in the steel cage in the East Cambridge courthouse, he listens intently as the residence of each talesman is told. If the man lives near the golf links, Schidlofski, pale, wan, haggard, challenges him in his own language, but in a voice so low, so weak, that it cannot be heard by persons five feet away.

QUICK CHOICE OF JURY.

His attorney, if he cannot hear the words, sees the defendant's lips move, knows what he is saying and repeats the challenge.

The jury is complete, although before the last man was chosen the venire of seventy six men was exhausted. Thereupon the State withdrew the challenges against those men, but they were promptly challenged again by the defence. A discussion ensued, which resulted in the withdrawal of the challenge against Albert O. Hudson being withdrawn, and he was accepted as the last juror.

These men, who will help decide whether or not Schidlofski lured his wife to the golf links and slew her for the $800 she had saved, all live some distance from the scene of the crime.

The first juror chosen was the seventh talesman called, Edwin U. Hanscom, a contractor of Reading. Of the six excused, three were because they did not believe in capital punishment and had formed opinions on the case; two were challenged by the prisoner and one by the Commonwealth.

Defence Likely Insanity.

It is believed that the defence will be insanity. Schidlofski's appearance will aid this contention. He has allowed his beard to grow, and, although he is only thirty-five years old, he looks fifty-five. He has a bewildered air, as if he does not thoroughly comprehend what is going on. As he was placed in the cage he glanced about the room hurriedly, with his head bent. He is intensely nervous and at times is forced to make several attempts to speak before his voice, even then hardly more than a whisper, can be heard.

He passed a restless night, rising from his cot and pacing his cell at intervals all night. Once he remarked:

"I am glad my trial is to begin. If I had to stay in this cell much longer I would go crazy."

Justices Lawton and Holmes are presiding at the trial. District Attorney A. Sanderson, assisted by Arnold Scott, is conducting the prosecution, and H. H. Hopkins and Philip Sullivan appear for the defence.

Important Dates in the Case of John Schidlofski

July 12, 1905—John Schidlofski bought two tickets for Los Angeles, Cal.

July 13—Returned one ticket and got his money back. Started west alone. Mutilated body of woman found on grounds of Arlington Golf Club.

July 14—Body identified as that of Mrs. Marciana Schidlofski.

July 16—Schidlofski arrested in Colorado through efforts of the BOSTON AMERICAN.

July 19—Schidlofski attempts to hang himself in Colorado jail.

July 20—Prisoner indicted by Middlesex Grand Jury.

July 29—Prisoner arrives in this city.

September 8—Prisoner arraigned in court and pleaded not guilty.

February 20, 1906—Drs. Jelly and Walton report that Schidlofski is sane.

Government's motive for murder—To get possession of $800 which his wife had in bank.

Chelsea Committee on Graft Reports

5 ALDERMEN GUILTY

Demand for Immediate Resignations of Members to Be Made To-night.

Five members of the Chelsea Board of Aldermen have been found guilty of graft by the special committee of the board which has spent eight weeks in examination of several score of witnesses.

It is recommended in the report to be presented to-night that these five Aldermen tender their resignations at once.

Attention is called to the testimony of several witnesses, which, it is believed by the committee, should require the courts to take action criminally.

District Attorney John B. Moran will undoubtedly be called into the case. If the report is presented to him as well as to the Board of Aldermen, he may consider it of grave enough import to call it to the attention of the Grand Jury.

To-night the report of the committee goes before the whole board at the weekly meeting, where it is very probable that the five Aldermen who will be named will be in their seats. Preparations have been made with the police department for a strong detail of officers to handle the enormous crowd which will flock to City Hall.

The special committee to investigate graft was appointed when Alderman Young protested against the confirmation of assessor, auditor and city solicitor.

Alderman Young's charges created a sensation. The appointments were held over until the next meeting. There were more charges and countercharges, until demand was made that there should be an investigation.

To the committee to investigate these charges were appointed Aldermen O'Brien (chairman), Young, Gates, Warren and Delano. Nearly every city official was summoned to give testimony. Many of the clerks in the various city departments were also called.

INDICT HOTEL ESSEX; BARTENDER ARRAIGNED

The first arrest in the Hotel Essex case, in which John B. Moran charges that the hotel proprietors violated the liquor laws, was made to-day.

Indicted on the charge of illegally selling liquor to a police officer, Robert Morton, a bartender at the Hotel Essex, appeared for the hotel in the Superior Court to-day and pleaded not guilty.

Through Morton, District Attorney Moran is making his fight against the hotel management. He charges that they are selling liquor illegally on the ground that their license was void through violation of the screen law.

Mr. Moran declared that the screens which were pared at the windows in the cafe rendered it impossible for a passer to see what was going on within the room; in other words, obstructed the view, the same reason.

He ordered the Board of Police to declare that the license was void at the same time that he declared against the Parker House. Young's and the Adams House for after making proper arrangements were granted new licenses by the Board of Police.

The Hotel Essex, however, after remaining closed so far as liquor selling was concerned for several days and taking down the screens, opened up again in defiance of the order of the District Attorney. Mr. Moran maintains that it has been illegally selling liquor ever since.

Officers were sent to the hotel to view the screens. They made their report to the grand jury. It is understood that the report said that they could not see within the cafe from the street when the screens were in position.

Then Patrolman Murphy of the Joy street station was sent to the hotel bar, and while the managers stood about cognizant of what was going on he purchased liquor from Morton.

Last Saturday the Grand Jury returned a bill against Morton.

General Francis Peabody, counsel for the Essex, appeared in court to-day as counsel for Morton. Assistant District Attorney Dennison represented Mr. Moran. Judge Stevens ordered a continuance and held Morton in $500 bail, which was furnished in cash.

TAKES COMMAND OF MARINES.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Newton Wood took command to-day of the detachment of marines at the Charlestown Navy Yard, relieving Colonel Allan C. Kelton, who has been assigned to the Portsmouth Navy Yard. Colonel Wood has seen service in Guam and at Panama.

Jury Which Will Try John Schidlofski

EDWIN C. HANSCOM of Reading, contractor.

WILLIAM J. DALY of Winchester, bookkeeper.

BENJAMIN H. NICHOLS of Woburn, retired.

EDWIN W. MARSTON of Wayland, carpenter.

WEBSTER L. EUGLEY of Marlboro, shoemaker.

FRED W. GALLUPE of Waltham, watchmaker.

WILLIAM F. SHEEHAN of Holliston, hatter.

WILLIAM F. FRANKLAND of Ashland, laborer.

EDGAR T. PARKER of Malden, tool sharpener.

JOHN M. WINTERS of Somerville, electrician.

JOHN F. ISAAC of Cambridge, piano dealer.

ALBERT O. HODSDON of Somerville, driver.

"NO BILL" FOR THE ALDERMEN

The action of the Grand Jury in finding "no bill" against Charles M. Draper, chairman of the Board of Aldermen, accused of violating the law by entering into a deal in the Mayor's office through which he was made the presiding officer of the board, was made public to-day.

The record on the return of the Grand Jury to the court is as follows:

"Charles M. Draper, for corruptly accepting a position beneficial to himself, under an agreement to do certain things in violation of Revised Laws, chapter 210, section 7—no bill."

COUNTESS ANNA WANTS AN ABSOLUTE DIVORCE

Special to the Boston American.

PARIS, March 12.—The Countess de Castellane (Anna Gould) has declared that she means to have an absolute divorce from her husband, Count Boni de Castellane.

When the trouble between the Count and Countess reached such a point that they could no longer live together application was made by the Countess to the French courts for a separation. The Countess' lawyer drew up the papers and apparently there was to be nothing more than a legal separation.

Now the Countess has suddenly returned to Paris from Biarritz and changed her application to one for complete divorce. The case will be argued Thursday.

The trouble between the Castellanes grew out of the Count's money spending proclivities, and, it is said, his attentions to other women. His extravagance was the talk of Paris, a city where money flows like water.

When Anna Gould became the Countess de Castellane she had a fortune of $18,000,000. Her whole income, over $500,000 a year, slipped through her husband's hands without protest from her. Only when he began to dip deeply into the principal did she object. Their entertainments were the finest in France, and besides the money he spent Count Boni is thousands of dollars in debt.

For the sake of her boys the Countess bore her husband's treatment as long as she could. Finally, it became unbearable, and then she sought a separation. She agreed to settle a large sum on her husband, but he pathetically said that he would only ask her to pay his debts and give him as much as he had in his private fortune before they were married.

What has caused her to make the sudden demand for an absolute divorce is not known. Her acceptance of the idea of a simple separation was on account of her children, but it is said that their rights will not be affected even by a divorce.

BROKER KILLS SELF AT EDGE OF CLIFF

NEW YORK, March 12.—Irving L. Bragdon, once civil service commissioner in Brooklyn, vice-president of the Union League Club and secretary of the Montauk Club, Brooklyn, killed himself at the edge of a cliff in Edgewater, N. J., by shooting himself.

European Tour Election

GIRL HELPS STRANGER IN CONTEST FOR TOURS

MORE BALLOTS AND CANDIDATES FOR TEACHERS' TRIP ABROAD. GIFT OF AMERICAN.

The accompanying list gives the standing of the original candidates voted for by readers of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN in the popular election that will give free European tours and cash prizes amounting to $1,000 to forty women school teachers of New England this Summer.

Out of a desire to be fair to all candidates and their supporters throughout New England, the changes of position made in the list by yesterday's incomplete returns are not published today.

Many hundred votes came to the European Tour Editor from the city of Boston, and several additional school teachers announced their candidacy for the support of their friends, but the limited mail service of Sunday brought the returns chiefly from the nearby points. So, to give no candidate the advantage of an incomplete statement of yesterday's returns, and to permit any number of school teachers who want to be elected to tour Europe free to announce their candidacy today on an equal footing, the complete vote is withheld until tomorrow, when almost all of the Sunday ballots will have been voted.

Teachers, Win a Grand Tour Free!

Now is the time for New England women school teachers to use their talents and make their popularity and good records count in winning a grand European tour by the votes of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN readers.

Every woman teacher who would like to spend her holidays abroad should begin now to collect orders from readers of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN for her acquaintance, and enlist her friends in spreading the circle that will work and vote to give her one of the forty tours abroad.

Dame Fortune helps those who help themselves, and any worthy school teacher who announces her candidacy and works for it will win unfailing support from her constituency. She may create an endless chain that will yield ballots even from persons unknown to her.

There is plenty of time and plenty of chance for new candidates. The election is just commencing, and a teacher might easily start this week and rise to the head of the list in a few days.

Votes Can Be Secured Easily.

One example of how very easy it is to get votes, and how support comes to a well-liked school teacher, was furnished in the election events of yesterday.

A woman called at the office of the European Tour Editor, laid down $1.50 to pay for her copy of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN for thirty weeks, and said:

"My name is Louise Cox. No. 30 Glenn street, East Somerville. I am a regular reader of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN, and I want to pay for three extra copies now, and cast the 1,000 votes that it gives me for Miss ——.

"I have never seen Miss —— mentioned Miss Maguire, 'She does not live in my town, and I never heard of her until yesterday.

"However, I shall work hard for her success, and ask all my friends to do so.

"My uncle, Toby Lyons, of the Howard Athenæum company, was asked by a friend to help Miss —— win one of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN'S European tours. I suppose, as she is a lovely, deserving girl.

"I shall send in a lot more votes, you may be sure. We have put up a ballot box in the St. Louis Hotel, here in Revere, to receive votes for her, and all the folks there will be rooting for her.

Every city and town should have its favorite teacher in the election, for in every teacher who deserves to command the support of her community should get a boat a few votes into the BOSTON AMERICAN office to help to place her name before the people.

The full details of the election, the way to vote and the way to secure votes, together with the grand European tours and $1,000 in cash prizes to be given the forty winning teachers, were described in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN of yesterday.

How You Can Help Her.

The strongest aid you can give your favorite teacher is to cast 1,000 votes for her in a lump by sending $1.50 to the European Tour Editor to pay for your copy of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN for the next thirty weeks, and sending your money to the BOSTON AMERICAN office, naming the school teacher you wish to credit with the votes. Also give due address, to which the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICANS should be delivered, and the name and location of your local newsdealer.

You may cast fifty votes for a candidate by paying down twenty cents at the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICANS for the next four weeks by this simple method. A proportionate number of votes is given for 25 many copies of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN as are paid for in advance. Fifty cents pays for your next ten BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICANS and gives you the extra votes. And so on.

In addition to the extra votes given on large orders, coupon ballots are printed each day. The coupon ballot printed in every copy of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN counts TEN votes for the candidate named thereon.

The ballot printed in the daily BOSTON AMERICAN counts ONE vote.

The "Special Ballot" printed below is for convenience in ordering copies of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN to secure the extra votes referred to above.

The coupon ballots must be used within two weeks of the date of publication. This is to prevent holding back quantities of coupon ballots and to keep the standing of the election plainly reported and up to date before the people.

The ballots count for the contestants and their supporters nothing, and no chance is afforded for the buying of votes.

School Pupils Working.

A word to the school children.

Write to the European Tour Editor today, girls and boys, and tell who is your favorite teacher. Tell which teacher you would rather see have the advantages of the great European trip.

Already the school pupils are harvesting votes for their favorites by clipping the ballots from the papers in their neighborhoods.

The children can do more by sending in orders for the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN from the readers in their neighborhoods.

Write to the European Tour Editor, P. O. Box 5,131, Boston, and tell him to call, call at the headquarters of the election, at the fifth floor of the BOSTON AMERICAN building at No. 80 Summer street.

The European Tour Editor will be pleased to see or hear from any or all of the candidates and their loyal supporters.

$1,000 Cash Given, Too.

To-morrow the election returns will be published in the BOSTON AMERICAN. Every day thereafter the standing of the teachers in the balloting will be given, all votes received before 10 o'clock in the morning being listed in the published returns the following day.

The BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN every week during the election will give more extensive details of the election, of the grand tours, of the candidates themselves and of the cash prizes of $1,000.

The teacher who polls the largest number of votes, besides being one of the forty fortunates to take the "Grandest Tour" of Europe, and winning the honor of being voted the most popular school teacher of all New England, will be given a prize of $500 in cash. The second highest will receive $200, the third $150, the fourth $75, the fifth $50 and the sixth $25.

The itineraries, which were given in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN, are as well selected, comprehensive tours of Europe as skill and experience could formulate. All the expenses of the trip, which will be paid by the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN, are as follows:

SUNDAY AMERICAN SPECIAL BALLOT.

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Bring your votes to the BOSTON AMERICAN office, No. 80 Summer street, or mail them to European Tour Editor, P. O. Box 5,131, Boston.

THE AUTOMOBILE 'BUG' HAS COME TO BOSTON

THE AUTO "BUG" AS SEEN BY SOMERVILLE.

He Has His Grip on Thousands of Citizens, Who Now Talk of "Cars."

The bicycle fog seems dead and gone and the kissing bug is not in season, but the auto bug is what you want to look out for now.

He's nipped about half the population of Boston already, not only those lucky members of the population who can wear fur coats and write fat checks that will be duly cashed, but he's spread the auto fever among thousands and thousands of those among us who have about enough money to buy a pinwheel.

At least you'd think so to view the size and variety in character of the crowds to be seen at the two auto shows—two auto shows going at the same time—one at Mechanics Building and the other at Symphony Hall.

The auto bug will wax fat.

Persons who didn't know the difference between an automobile and a barn sound-ly kicked by a horse, and those who have automobiles are planning to get new ones, and those who haven't are possessed at least of yearnings that some day they may be satisfied.

Of course, the day hasn't yet arrived when automobiles are as common along the streets of the North End as they are in Commonwealth avenue, but the day may come, and if it does, who wants to be without a knowledge of the new steeds and just how to run one?

Modern romance has taken a new turn with the modern machine of travel. You could have observed any amount of young couples scanning eagerly the lines and makeup of some jaunty little auto or other, and it wouldn't be talk you'd hear from them about how busy having enough money to furnish a house. This is the way they are talking:

"Now we will want a car fit is the real thing to say 'car,' with three hood brakes on the rear hubs and ——

"Sure, sure—just as you please about that as long as it has accurate ignition and good coiling by the thermo-syphon and ——

Well, the auto bug has nipped them both.

Engaged Young Couples, Instead of Talking Flats, Discuss "Whizz-Wagons."

PROBE TRUSTS IN CAMPAIGN

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Investigations which could be made to bring to light the scandals connected with the contributions of campaign funds to the Republican party by insurance companies, banks, railroads and other corporations will be begun in Washington this week.

The scandals which Charles E. Hughes, counsel of the Armstrong Investigating Committee, barely touched upon and then dropped when they showed signs of menace to the boodlemakers of the Republican campaign leaders, will be probed by Senator Elihu Root, Secretary of State Cortelyou and Secretary of State Elihu Root when they appear before the Armstrong committee may also be exposed.

GREATEST RELIGIOUS HUMBUG IS DEAD

Special Cable to Boston American.

PARIS, March 12.—Mrs. Edward Bellamy Donkin, one of the greatest international humbugs since that England ever produced, is dead. Donkin founded a church in Cleveland, Ohio. He was arrested scores of times for forgery, theft, fraud and various other offences.

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1	Mahogany Table	2.50
1	Rug Carpet	12.00
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6	Oak Dining Chairs	5.00
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RAGPICKER HEIR TO FORTUNE OF $19,000

NEW BEDFORD, March 12.—Thomas Clough, a colored laborer and ragpicker living on Kempton street, is heir to a concealed fortune of $19,000. The money was left by the owner of a farm of a village suburb of Calcutta, and was left Clough by a brother, Henry. Clough refuses to part with any more definite details.

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Well, the auto bug has nipped them both.

A Pirate of lyric Penzance, Reading Lawson on "Frenzied Finance"

Growled "I would have hissed 'em—

Those curs of the 'System,' If ever they came here, per chance."

Ever write one of these Limericks? No? They're easy. Write one on "Tom" Lawson and send it to the Limerick Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN.

NEARLY 1,300 LOST IN FRENCH MINE HORROR

LITTLE HOPE OF SAVING ENTOMBED MEN WHO MAY BE ALIVE.

PARIS, March 12.—The latest reports from Courrieres as to the approximate number of the casualties in the great mine disaster there on Saturday give the figures as between 1,200 and 1,300. It is probable that the exact number of those who lost their lives there will never be known, owing to the fact that many bodies probably were destroyed by the fire which raged through the mine.

The three shafts are guarded to-day by military and the rescue work is being continued. There is little hope, however, of finding any of the miners still below alive or even of recovering the bodies.

The funerals of the victims of the disaster will be held to-morrow. Those who have been identified or mutilated beyond recognition will be buried together and a monument to commemorate their dead will be erected over the spot by public subscription. All the public buildings and most of the houses of the town are draped in black.

To Scientific Mining.

M. Leibknatte, a millionaire coal merchant and a leading authority in France on the subject of mine construction in an interview on the disaster, said:

"The catastrophe marks the collapse of the so-called 'sliding theory' according to which the pillars of coal left standing for the protection is furnished by joining the gallery to adjoining mines of escape. With the old system of single or double galleries disasters are limited to 200 or 300 men, but with the modern system, the modern idea of connecting all the galleries with each other, holocausts possible. Instances is noted as the most scientific mine in France and it was the scene of the great explosion.

France is appalled by the magnitude of the present catastrophe. The government has appropriated immense sums for the relief of the widows and orphans and relief work.

The disabled men. "I believe all of them are dead by his time," he said.

TROOPS GUARD BODIES.

In hastily constructed mortuaries the dead bodies have been laid out. One hundred government troops are on guard, and only the authorities are allowed to enter. Outside hundreds of wives and children of the men who have not yet been heard from are clamoring for admittance.

The disaster is the worst mine horror of modern times. The last great mine horror in France was the Rochebelle mine in 1885, when 293 persons were killed and 80 injured, but that sinks into insignificance beside the catastrophe of Saturday.

ROOSEVELT TRIES TO PREVENT COAL STRIKE

SENDS ENVOY TO MITCHELL—OPERATORS REFUSE ALL DEMANDS OF MEN.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 12.—That President Roosevelt is determined to intervene in the anthracite trouble, as he has already done in the bituminous complication, was made apparent yesterday, when Dr. Thomas S. Neill, United States commissioner of labor, conferred here with John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America. No attempt was made to either hide or deny the fact that the conference concerned the refusal by the anthracite operators of all the mine workers' demands, although neither would make a statement.

Every demand made by the anthracite miners upon the operators in the joint conference of the two bodies in Philadelphia, was denied. The anthracite miners must now choose between "back down and battle."

The alternative of their refusal is that operators enter into an agreement with the union is declined by the operators and that the anthracite operators stand unalterably for the open shop.

Of the demand for an eight-hour day, the operators say they know of no condition that can be used to sustain the renewed demand for a reduction in hours.

We might clearly say that with the experience of the past three years the ten-hour day should be restored, but we are willing to submit the decision of the question to an agreement issued by the operators' association.

The 3 per cent. increase and uniform scale of wages demanded by the anthracite miners are refused by the operators with the notice that they would be willing to consider the question of wages for coals other than those mined in the Wyoming region.

The refusal of the operators to grant the demand for the check-off system of collecting dues from the miners' wages and the varying conditions existing in the region and at the collieries, were also refused.

The demand for increase wages without advancing the price of coal, and we are not willing to advance the price of coal," is the reply to the demand for a general increase in wages.

CARNEGIE BACKS PLAIN SPELLING

NEW YORK, March 12.—The simplified spelling board, financed by Andrew Carnegie, begins to-day its campaign to introduce a system of expressing the English language with as few letters as possible.

Offices will be leased in the Metropolitan Life building, and three clerks or secretaries will be engaged, who will work under the direction of an executive committee, of which Professor Brander Matthews of Columbia University is chairman.

Mr. Carnegie believes that simpler spelling will diffuse the spread of English as a world language.

BEST FOR CHILDREN

is Sanford's Ginger for colds, croup, sore throat and stomach ills. Prevents headache.

NEW FRENCH MINISTRY IS ANNOUNCED

Premier Sarrien Succeeds in Forming Cabinet, He Taking Justice Portfolio.

PARIS, March 12.—The new French Ministers have been formed as follows:

Premier and Minister of Justice, M. Jean Sarrien; Minister of Finance, M. Raymond Poincare; Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Rouvier; Minister of Public Works, M. Jean Louis Barthou; Minister of Commerce, M. Georges-Jean-Claude Leygues; Minister of Agriculture, M. Joseph Ruau; Minister of the Interior, Eugene Georges-Benjamin Clemenceau; Minister of War, Eugene Etienne; Minister of Marine, Gaston Thomson; Minister of Public Instruction, M. Aristide Briand.

Other official assignments announced late this afternoon, include:

Minister of Colonies, M. Gaston Doumergue; Secretary of State for Fine Arts, M. Claude Beaunier; Secretary of State for Posts and Telegraphs, M. Bernard.

A mahatma in far Hindustan Was asked if he knew of Moran. "I should smile," answered he, "Just between you and me, I take off my hat to that man."

It's easy work—writing these Limericks. Write one on John B. Moran and mail it to the Limerick Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN. You may win a prize.

SLAIN IN FIGHT WITH MOROS

MANILA, March 12.—A cablegram from Zamboanga gives the following list of enlisted men killed at the battle of Dajo, with their residence:

Ransey Rex, Lexington, Okla.; Edward Kilgore, Washbourne, Pa.; Thomas Barlow, Send Hill, Tenn.; John Tomaszewski, Kingston, Pa.; Charles Banks, Cassonburn, Eng.; Louis Herr, Ontario, Can.; William Kelly, Paterson, N. J.; Robert Bastian, Saratoga, Ga.; Leo Calvo, Miliger, Idaho; Frederick Heller, John Fitch, Akron, O.; Carl Bailey, Rogue, Ohio; Miss E. John, Illinois; Benjamin C. Walter Hagadorn, Kingston, N. Y.; Harry Wriedt, Williamsport, Pa.; Neil DeBurr, Spokane, Wash.; John Shuler, Dunnell, Ky.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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First Votes for Popular Teachers

The list below gives the names, location, schools and votes of the first forty-one women school teachers to enter the election for free European tours to be awarded by the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN. The corrected returns up to date, with names of additional teacher-candidates, will be published to-morrow.

BOSTON AND THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT.

Candidates.	School.	Location.	Votes to date.
Katherine Y. Prescott,	Reddington Street,	Swampscott	2,263
Madeline Foppianno,	Washington,	Boston	801
Elizabeth Rogers,	Prescott,	Charlestown	113
Miss Collins,	Charlestown,		65
Ellenette Pillsbury,	Adams,	East Boston	61
Gertrude Lakin,	Lewis,	Dorchester	21
Helen Galvin,	Bingham,	Somerville	20
S. Gertrude Tighe,	South Boston High		20
Gertrude Burns,	Prattsville,	Chelsea	11
Beebe White,	Willard,	West Quincy	11
Violet Creber,	Endicott,	Dorchester	10

MASSACHUSETTS—OUTSIDE OF BOSTON.

Ellen DeS. Barrett,	Jackman,	Newburyport 16,785
Nellie B. Bidleman,	Worcester	12,000
Alice O'Gara,	Maple Street School,	Spencer 4,092
Bessie Churbuck,	Indian Neck School,	East Wareham 2,030
Edith Cunningham,	Gill	1,070
Grace Hammond,	West Newbury	514
Maria McDonnell,	Oak Street School,	Lawrence 135
Mabel W. Emery,	Dighton	53
S. O'Connor,	High,	Lawrence 27
Anna McGourty,	Howarth,	Oxford 21
A. Preston,	Prospect,	Beverly 15
Maria Smith,	Rollins,	Lawrence 10
Annie Carey,	High,	South Fitchburg 10

RHODE ISLAND AND CONNECTICUT.

Grace L. Milligan,	Central	Falls, R. I. 259
Cecelia Murray,	Providence,	R. I. 229
Carrie M. Searle,	Hope Strat School,	Providence, R. I. 190
Mary Phillips,	Providence,	R. I. 180
Margaret Hickey,	Colony Street School,	Wallingford, Ct. 106
Catherine Holliwell,	American School,	Providence, R. I. 57
Helen Lyde,	South Woodlawn School,	Pawtucket, R. I. 23
Ellen D. Callahan,	Coddington School,	Newport, R. I. 10
Mary L. Rogers,	High,	Pawtucket, R. I. 5

MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE AND VERMONT.

Isabel Kateon,	Bath, Me.	1,039
Katherine L.	Moyinahan,	Berlin, N. H. 700
Nellie Bolger,	Staples,	Portland, Me. 192
Bertha Holmes,	Whitefield,	N. H. 91
J. C. Emerson,	Phillips,	Me. 50
J. Higgins,	Keene,	N. H. 50
A. M. Warner,	Newton Junction,	N. H. 12
Winnifred Jenkins,	Pittsfield,	N. H. 10

ARREST THREAT FOR FATHER OF KIDNAPPED MALDEN GIRL

John Sully and Officer With Extradition Papers to Reach Denver To-day.

Special to the Boston American.

DENVER, March 12. John Sully, whose daughters, Reita and Mabel, are alleged to have been kidnapped in Malden, Mass., by their aunt, Mrs. Bella Fenwick, who is now here with them, and Inspector Green-

Mrs. Fenwick and Reita Sully, specially Posed in Denver for the Boston American.

KIDNAPPER AND GIRL SHE STOLE, PHOTOGRAPHED TOGETHER.

leaf of Malden are expected here to-day.

The inspector has requisition papers for Mrs. Fenwick, who has been indicted on a charge of kidnapping, and Mr. Sully expects to take charge of his daughters.

Mrs. Fenwick is prepared to make a fight in the courts.

Mrs. Fenwick threatens to cause the arrest of Sully.

Affidavits were taken here to be used in the hearing before the Governor in resisting requisition in Mrs. Fenwick's case, and others are to be taken immediately in the East.

One of the affidavits taken here to-day by Attorney Johnson was Seat of Motel Sully. In this she describes three attempts at suicide made by her father while, it is alleged, he was under the influence of liquor. The child showed a remarkable memory in deposing and called attention to incidents forgotten by her aunt and guardian.

KEEP DEATH WATCH AT MISS ANTHONY'S BEDSIDE

End Near at Hand for Famous Woman Suffragist. Victim of Pneumonia.

Special to the Boston American.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 12.—A bulletin issued from the home of Miss Susan B. Anthony at eight o'clock to-day says that the world famous woman suffragist is very low, and death may come within a few hours.

Miss Anthony was taken ill about two weeks, with pneumonia. She went to a convention of the American Woman's Suffrage League in Washington in February, and while attending to the duties of the meeting contracted a cold, which rapidly assumed a serious aspect.

She has been in a critical condition since March 5, when her physicians declared her case was almost hopeless. She has been sinking since then.

Yesterday she lapsed into unconsciousness, and her physicians believe she will not regain her senses. Practically no hope remains for the famous woman.

Miss Anthony celebrated her eighty-sixth birthday February 2. A luncheon was given in her honor in New York, but at the time she was suffering from neuralgia, and could not attend the dinner. Her health has not been good for more than a year, but until after the convention in Washington she had retained her faculties.

PROVIDENT OFFER BINDING, SAYS RECEIVER

Not Informed of Any Purpose to Recede From $17,000 Agreement.

The thousands of depositors whose money disappeared in the crash of the Provident Securities and Banking Company will learn on or before March 27 whether the sum of $17,000 is to be paid them in part restoration of the $182,000 which they had tried to save by placing it with the defunct banking institution. Alfred S. Hall, who with Charles F. Weed is acting as receiver for the institution, said to the BOSTON AMERICAN to-day that the agreement made with Dillon C. Willoughby, representing an English syndicate, whereby $17,000 was to be paid for the Provident building on $45,000 worth of the stock of the Shenandoah Irrigation Company is still in force.

"So far as I know to the contrary has the case stands," said Mr. Hall says. "So far as we are concerned the agreement is as fully in force as when it was made. It is true that Mr. Willoughby called at my house last night, but when he learned that I had retired he said that the matter on which he wished to talk with me was not worth calling me to the telephone for. He told my daughter that he had received a cablegram from England, and that he would have to go to New York to get the key to it in order to translate it. He did not explain any situation.

"It is reported that Mr. Willoughby has sent to Denver a communication to the effect that the agreement has been withdrawn, as the English syndicate cannot pay more than $15,000 for the Shenandoah stock. I have received no notice that there is any mail for me in Denver.

"If the syndicate offers $15,000 for the stock, would the receivers accept that rather than keep the depositors waiting until the Shenandoah company shall have been developed enough to make the stock marketable?" Mr. Hall was asked.

"That I cannot discuss at present, for the agreement to pay us $17,000 for the stock is still binding as far as we know."

LOWER RATES ASSURED BY CITY OWNERSHIP

Revere Water Commissioner Says Town Gained $6,000 Last Year.

Municipal ownership will be defended at the Revere town meeting to-night by Leonel K. Washburn of the water commissioners, against those who oppose the town's operation of the water system. The Water Board promises lower rates and decreased expenses for the coming year.

The Water Board will ask the town to appropriate $17,000 to meet a bond of the water system. Opponents of municipal operation of the water system will use this in the arguments against the operation of the board.

To BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day Mr. Washburn said:

"Next year the water rate will be reduced and our expenses will be lower. The past year the receipts were $78,000 and expenses $72,000.

"Municipal ownership has not been given a fair trial. It has only been in operation here since last April, and extraordinary demands have been made upon our resources from the start. I realize that the town has assumed a heavy debt in the purchase of the water system, but the burden will grow lighter each year and the wisdom of municipal ownership be apparent to all."

WARRANT OUT FOR LODGE'S SECRETARY

WASHINGTON, March 12.—A dispatch from Rockville, Md., says that a requisition has been issued by Robert G. Proctor, private secretary to Senator Lodge, for running his automobile beyond the legal rate of speed. Proctor refused to go to Rockville in order to be sworn.

Says Lawson, "My task is immense;
On insurance reform I'll commence;
I'll put stripes on John D.,
And then you will see
"The system" look like thirty cents."

Try your hand at writing a Limerick. This one is pretty fair, but perhaps you can beat it. Send one on Thomas W. Lawson to the Limerick Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN.

BOSTON STOCKS.

	Open.	Close.
Alloues	25	31⅛
Amalgamated	107	108⅛
American Telephone	132	132½
American Pneumatic	37	38
American Pneumatic preferred	91	92
American Sugar	131	131½
American Woolen preferred	107	107½
Anaconda	38	38⅛
Calumet & Hecla	690	688½
Centennial	19	19⅛
Copper Range	80	80⅝
Dom. Coal	35	35½
Franklin	240	240
Granby	90	90
Mass.	5	5
Mex. C. N. R. & P.	204	207
Nevada Con.	23	23⅛
North Butte	85	85
North Lake	10	10
Osceola	101	101
Parrot	45	45
Rhode Island	6	6
Tamarack	70	70
United Copper	65	65
United States Steel	40	40⅛
United States Steel preferred	106	106
United Fruit	108½	108
U. S. Smelting	44	44⅛
U. S. Smelt. preferred	75	75
Victoria	15	15
Wood Rad preferred	114½	114½
Winona	4	4

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Open.	Close.
Amalgamated Copper	107	107⅝
American Ice & Refg	20	20
American Locomotive	29½	29⅝
American Smelting	157⅛	158
American Sugar	130	130⅝
Anaconda	37⅞	38
Atchison	93½	93⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	110	110
Canadian Pacific	167	167½
Canadian Pacific	179⅝	179⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	50	50
Chicago, Great West	21½	21⅝
Chicago & Alton	36½	36½
Consolidated Gas	153	153½
Erie	42	42⅛
Louisville & Nashville	140⅝	140⅝
Chicago & Great	24	24
Mexican Central	21⅛	21⅛
New York Central	142½	142½
No. Pacific	210½	210½
Norfolk & Western	57⅞	58
Ontario & Western	50	50⅛
Pennsylvania	138⅜	138⅜
People's Gas	98	98
Reading	129	127⅝
Southern Pacific	59⅝	59⅝
Southern Railway	37⅝	38
Union Pacific	169	169
Union Pacific preferred	96	96
United States Rubber	16⅝	16⅝
United States Rubber 1st pfd	104	104

BIG BUYING CROWD AT THE AUTO SHOW

Two Cars Sold Within Five Minutes from Opening of Hall To-day.

EXPECT TO BREAK RECORDS

Five minutes after the big Auto Show in Mechanics Building and Symphony Hall opened to-day two sales were reported, and the representatives of all machines on exhibit were busy with the big "buying crowd."

The crowd that assailed the doors of the halls was the biggest that ever tried to get into a Boston Auto Show on the opening day. There were 50,000 at the show Saturday night, but it was entirely a sightseeing crowd, and there was no attempt to sell machines.

The first sale to-day was that of a Winton limousine to George H. Morrill, the Norwood ink manufacturer. Another Winton limousine was sold to L. Robbins of Lynn.

Eighteen carloads of machines of various makes arrived in Boston during the night, and to-day they were placed in the exhibition halls. The halls resound with the tooting of all kinds of horns and devices for getting people out of the way of the autos. The demonstrators got into working order early in the day, and their orations calling the crowd's attention to their goods are among the show features.

All Kinds on View.

There are all kinds of machines on exhibition, from the little runabouts to the freak racing machines, some of which carried away famous prizes at the Ormond Beach races and at other tracks.

The machine most in demand this year seems to be the limousine. This is a large autu, with a coupe body, built for luxurious comfort and speed.

Nearly all of the more important makes have included the limousine among their styles. They are upholstered in leather from the base to the window sills, the walls and roof are of mahogany and an electric light is set in the rear. Last year the machines were lined with silk and leather, and the light was in the top. The change are so arranged that occupants of the compartment may read newspapers or books while traveling at night.

Officials say they look for great sales at the show. Last year the total amount from sales amounted to thousands of dollars. All records are expected to be broken this week.

Women Are Interested.

There are many women among those attending the show. They take great interested in the mechanical features of the autos. Cylinders, engines, cranks, spark plugs and a hundred other parts of autos are minutely examined and inquired about.

The power boats in the Mechanics building basement have attracted great attention. The swift little motor boat will be home in demand this Summer than ever before. The craft have fine lines and motors are improved so that greater speed can be obtained and the boats themselves are built more for the comfort of the occupants.

L CONDUCTORS MUST SHOW $10 IN SMALL COIN

Must Have Change Early in the Morning for All Big Bills Offered.

"Have you got $10?" is the newest question asked of applicants for jobs as conductors on the Boston Elevated system.

If the replies in the negative the applicant hears this refrain:

"Take car 23 and ride to the end of the line."

It's all because of a new rule of the company requiring that conductors, before starting on a day's work, must have $10 in change.

The company has had trouble with men who flash $5 bills on conductors, and then say, "Sold again. It's a shame to do it, but it's the smallest I've got." The officials plan to get around these pluto-crats.

"We look like walking five and ten-cent banks," said a conductor on a Cambridge line to-day. "I got $10 at the start in change. I got into a fight with my wife this morning, and I had only $9.83 cents to my name, and I had to lose the baby's penny bedder and borrow the company's money. There's all kinds of trouble in store for me, I can see that plainly."

The men will be marched every day to ascertain whether they have the proper change. They are given the benefit of any doubt that may arise until the officials become convinced from some particular that who had as many as $10 in one lump has a conductor come to produce change when the greenback is presented.

The men do not anticipate much trouble in living up to the new rule. Two dollars worth of change for the company's money is all they make quite a hole in their pockets, they think.

BY CUTTING CORN LEG IS ENDANGERED

LEOMINSTER, Mass., March 12.—Walter F. Carner cut off a troublesome corn on his foot with a pocketknife. He says he is in and Dr. Kiley says Carney may lose his leg.

40 YARDS OF LACE ON BOSTON WOMAN

NEW YORK, March 12.—Marie S. Werner, a Boston dressmaker, who arrived here from Europe on the Philadelphia, was found to have forty yards of black lace sewed around the bottom of her petticoat. The lace was confiscated.

Royal Baking Powder

Pure, healthful, efficient. Leaves neither acid nor alkali in food.

TELLS HOW WIFE WAS MISSING ON BRIDAL DAY

HUSBAND SUES BRIDE'S FAMILY TO FIND HER

Donet Picard of Cliftondale Says She Is Detained Against Her Will.

BEEN MISSING 3 MONTHS

Still searching for traces of his bride, Leona Cross Picard, who mysteriously disappeared on her wedding day, and who, he declares, is detained by her family against her will, Donet Picard of Cliftondale is determined that no effort shall be spared to have her restored to him.

"She was very happy when we were married," said Mr. Picard to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter. "During the dance which we had at the house of a friend she said frequently that we are married now, and there is no way they can separate us, as there? I told her there was not."

Mr. Picard has entered suit against Mrs. Alice Burbank and Jennie Cross, his sisters-in-law, and Arthur W. Cross of Winchester, his wife's brother, to compel them to disclose the whereabouts of his bride.

Arthur Cross admits that he knows the whereabouts of his sister, but declares he will fight the end to prevent her going back to Picard.

Young Husband's Story.

This is the young husband's story of the courtship, the marriage and the strange disappearance of the bride told exclusively to the BOSTON AMERICAN:

By Donet Picard.

I was not quite prepared to marry Leona at the time I did, as I promised to wait some seven or eight months later, but she told me that her sisters had arranged for her to marry George H. Wood of Lowell and that it had come so she was obliged to tell him on Sunday, December 9, on what date the event would occur.

Knowing this, she told me before all present that if I wanted her I would have to take her then or not at all. The result was we went to Lynn and were met by Rev. Charles A. Cross, pastor of the First Methodist Church. We related to him the whole story and asked his advice. Leona told him how Mr. Wood was an old but wealthy man, and how he did not suit her at all, and that she was very much in love with me. He advised us that the greater part of wait till the middle of the following week. Leaving the church a few minutes after this time, Leona turned to me and said: "Don't we want to wait at all, but will be married right now, as I don't dare to have it put off, on account of my sisters."

Bride Disappears.

After we were married we went to a friend of mine in Cliftondale, a Mr. Clough, where we had dinner. Mrs. Clough has frequently resided to different people how happy Leona was on that occasion. Throughout the meal she would often say: "Don't we get married now, and there is no way that we can be separated, is there?"

Naturally I thought we were safe from anything of the kind that happened, so I relayed any fears she had. After the dinner she said she was going to see her sister, who lives on Monday, when she would pack her trunks and come to me to live. On Tuesday, to meet me when I came from work on that afternoon.

Arriving home I was surprised not to find her, but thought she might be out shopping of my time, so waited till almost 7 o'clock, when I went to her sister's and asked if there were any trunks or parcels for Mrs. Picard. Finding that there were not, I became alarmed and at once went to Somerville. I first called to see if Mrs. Lena Cross could tell me where she was.

Traced as Far as Boston.

She informed me that Leona had been sent away that afternoon to her sisters

MRS. LENA CROSS PICARD.

Wife of Donet Picard, of Cliftondale, who disappeared on her wedding day.

and brother, but would not tell where she had gone, as Mrs. Alice Burbank requested to let her daughter see Leona before she departed, as it had been decided no one was to know what her destination was.

I found out later that her brother, Arthur, went with her to the Boston & Maine depot, where Mrs. Burbank took her to Lowell. I have tried repeatedly for three months to find Leona or my wife, but whenever they took her she has been safe from my getting to her.

I was told by Mrs. Burbank that Leona left on her own free will, that she made up her mind with a mistake she made in marrying me, and I had better apply for a divorce. I told her that I would not believe a word she said, but would want a talk with me first. This has been refused to me.

One thing that made the sisters and brother anxious to have Leona marry Wood was that he agreed to pay to them all her

T WHARF MOURNS FISH MERCHANT

All the flags at T wharf are at half mast to-day because of the death of Frank Whaley of Medford, who for twenty-eight years was connected with the Boston Fish Company. He was one of the best known men in the fishing trade. A large delegation will attend the funeral.

ARGENTINE PRESIDENT DIES.

BUENOS AYRES, March 12.—President Manuel Quintana of the Argentine Republic is dead.

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In accordance with the provisions of two certain indentures, one dated April 1st, 1902, and one April 1st, 1903, made by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company with the American Loan and Trust Company of Boston, the said New England Telephone and Telegraph Company will until noon of Saturday, March 24th, 1906, receive from holders of the above described bonds sealed proposals in writing for the sale and surrender of the said bonds to its Treasurer at his office, 125 Milk Street, Boston, Mass., on Saturday, March 31st, 1906, and if more than fifty bonds of each series are tendered, the Company will select fifty bonds of each series tendered and offered at the lowest price or prices not in excess of the limit named below and notify the persons tendering the same that it will redeem and pay the bonds, so selected, upon their presentation to the Treasurer, at his office, as aforesaid, on Saturday, March 31st, 1906.

If fifty or a smaller number of bonds of any series are tendered, the Company will notify the persons tendering the same, that it will at the place and on the day above-named, redeem and pay the bonds offered at the price named in their respective proposal, PROVIDED that in no case will the company pay more than one thousand and seventy ($1070) dollars and accrued interest for any one thousand dollar bond.

Tenders should be addressed to the Treasurer of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, 125 Milk Street, Boston, Mass., and be indorsed "Tenders of Bonds."

By order of the Directors,

WM. R. DRIVER, Treasurer.

Boston, Mass., March 7, 1906.

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"A BATTLE FOR MILLIONS"

By Jacques Futrelle.

By Jacques Futrelle,

Author of "The Thinking Machine" Stories.

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PART I.

BURLINGAME PRESCOTT was the absolute master of State street. In the twenty-five years he had been there he had gained an eminence from which he could view the money marts of the world at his leisure, and what he chose to do or think was of as much consequence in London and Paris and Berlin as it was in Boston and New York and Chicago. Naturally, Mr. Prescott's physical health had always been an interesting subject in State, Wall and Fleet streets and the bourses of the continent.

"Every time he sneezes twice half a dozen stocks drop off three points," a Boston broker once said of him. "A slight attack of gout will knock all coppers off at least two points. If he should happen to die suddenly there would be a panic."

In a way this was a correct estimate of the man, because his was the hand which made and unmade values, and his fortune of a hundred million dollars was the backbone of his attacks on the markets of the world, a sum which enabled him to twist them to his own will. It was to this man that others looked for a decisive step in all those crises where a decisive step was necessary. He was feared, hated, respected and followed blindly—particularly followed. There had been a thousand traps laid to catch Prescott and subdivert him from his immense fortune. One after another these had failed; the weakness of the man was unfailing, and there had been times when those who plotted against him were themselves overwhelmed by the tidal wave he sent against them. For half a dozen years now he had been permitted to go his way unmolested, the others were content to follow.

Meanwhile, Prescott was getting perceptibly older. At the time of the happenings which I am about to relate here he was above sixty, and the long strain of an active fighting life had begun to tell on him. There were times when it seemed that a collapse was at hand, and half a dozen eminent specialists had advised him to stop, to give it up, to rest. To all of these the answer of the financier was characteristic:

"Give it up!" he squeaked in his little voice. "Give it up! Why, I'm young yet. I haven't started to do the things that I want to do."

But at last there came a day when the financier was aroused for the first time fully to his condition. It was then that he called on an old friend of his, Dr. Charles Cortland. Prescott was more willing to take his word than that of any man he knew.

Dr. Cortland thumped him over carefully from top to toe and then used a stethoscope diligently.

"How much money are you worth, anyway?" he asked, tersely.

"I should say a hundred million dollars," was the reply of the financier. His voice was that of a man far away, as one hears it through a telephone.

"Well, you wouldn't take my advice if I gave it," said Dr. Cortland.

"What is it?" queried the financier, smilingly.

"It would be to give away about ninety-nine millions of your fortune and go out and become a farmer," was the response. "But of course you won't do that, so—"

The financier chuckled dryly.

"I should say I will not," he piped. "Have you a yacht?"

"Yes, the Lady May."

"Well, go get on that yacht and disappear for a fourth or six," continued the physician. "You won't stay a month, so I'll say a week. Then come back and see me."

"But my business—"

"That's what's the matter with you now, your business," broke in Dr. Cortland, crustily. "You are money mad, like all the rest of them. No man has a right to a business like yours. Forget your business—rest, rest."

This it had transpired that Prescott had decided to take a week's rest. He made his intentions only to his young business partner, Arnold Hathaway, had explained to him in great detail a dozen sand points which he had previously held only in his own head, and prepared to sail away.

"And look out for Bart Wingate's gang," he advised Hathaway at their last conference. "He's been loafing pretty hard at Dalton Copper, and he's liable to spring it before he can do it before I get back. But I shall take excellent precautions to cover my departure. As a matter of fact, it need not be known positively that I am gone."

Despite the precautions of the financier to cover his flight that was what it amounted to—some spies of Bart Wingate's heard some rumors. They investigated the rumors. They learned of the physical condition of their friend, the enemy, and reported to Wingate.

"Watch, watch, watch," Wingate ordered. "Know that Prescott goes, know where he goes, and find out all about him his physical condition. If he is gone from Boston for a week I'll smash him. I have several old scores to pay—I think I begin to see my chance."

Wingate rubbed his hands together cheerfully at the prospect of wrecking the vast fortune which had been so unfairly opposed to his own for so many years. He immediately set his plans to bring his fight to a climax.

Then the spies came in to report. They found the trouble with Mr. Prescott to be dancer of a nervous collapse; they found that his yacht had sneaked up for a long cruise, they found she had taken out clearance papers for Bermuda, and they found that all arrangements had been perfected for the vessel to sail on the morrow.

"Will he get rested?" asked Wingate.

"He will, without any question," replied his agents.

But later that day they learned something which for a moment made them pause. This was that Mr. Prescott was expected to be ill at his home in Cambridge with a severe cold. At the same time it was announced publicly in the afternoon papers that while Mr. Prescott had intended to go away for a short while for a rest he would be prevented from doing so by the arrival illness.

"Bluffstroke," exclaimed Wingate. "He's not the sort of man to be stopped by a bad cold. If he had made his plans to go to Bermuda he is going to Bermuda!"

Wingate sat down for a long time and signed at the paragraph in the afternoon papers. After awhile he made up his mind apparently, and when he turned to his partner, Baldwin Jones, he was smiling.

"Prescott is going," he said emphatically. "He feared that something of his purpose would come to us, so he had this paragraph inserted purposely to throw us off the scent. He is just the fox to do that sort of thing."

"Yes," replied Jones, cautiously, "but I wouldn't carry my plans too far unless you know absolutely that he has gone. Meanwhile all our plans as to any forthcoming attack on his holdings must be carefully concealed."

Wingate laughed.

"Certainly," he said. "We will know that he goes before we start any action, but mark my word, he'll go. This is merely a trick of some sort."

The spies for the Wingate faction had meanwhile established a temporary friendship with several of the crew of the Lady May.

"She's going all right," said one of them, "and the old man's going, too. We just got an order to drop down the coast to Plymouth with the Lady May and pick him up there."

Half an hour later two of the Wingate spies started for Plymouth. Next day it was known that the Lady May arrived there and tied up, immediately after a closed carriage drove up and a man stepped out. A fold was drawn down over the eyes, a muffler was drawn up close about the throat. The man walked a little unsteadily to the gang plank and then aboard. Accompanying him was Hathaway.

"That's him all right," whispered one of the spies to another.

Half an hour later Wingate received this telegram from his spies at Plymouth:

"The fox has sailed for Bermuda."

Wingate read the message with a malignant leer on his face.

"Now we've got you, Mr. Prescott," he told himself. "We've got you and will squeeze every penny of that fortune out of you."

To Be Continued To-morrow.

STATE STREET SPIES WATCHED HUNDRED-MILLIONAIRE BOARD YACHT.

Begin to-day to read Futrelle's latest mystery story. On Saturday you will have a chance to guess how it ends in the SUNDAY AMERICAN and perhaps win a prize.

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CONDITIONS OF THE CONTEST.

Each Monday the BOSTON AMERICAN will start one of these fascinating stories. The last chapter will be printed Sunday.

All you have to do to win a prize is to guess best on Saturday what happens in the last chapter.

No answer postmarked later than 6 p. m. Saturday will be considered. Address Prize Story Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, 80-82 Summer street.

TO ARGUE FOR IRISH HISTORY IN SCHOOLS

Committee from Leading Societies to Appear Before Committee To-night.

A committee chosen from the various societies of Irish-Americans in Boston will to-night appear before the school committee and argue in favor of the teaching of Irish history in the public schools of Boston.

The matter is of the greatest importance to the Irish-Americans of Boston. More than half of the residents of Boston proper, and a great percentage of those of suburban cities and towns, are of Irish extraction. Because of the large representation of Irish-American children in the public schools, and the large part that the Irish have played in the development of the world, it is felt that the teaching of Irish history in the schools of Boston should be made imperative.

The committee to confer with the school board is made up of Jeremiah Carroll of South Boston, chairman, president of the Knights of St. Brendan; Martin J. Mulroy of Roxbury, Aidan O'Gallagher of Cambridge, Patrick J. Crotty of Roxbury and Martin J. O'Brien.

The resolution adopted by the "Waterford Men" is as follows:

"Resolved, That the Celt and his descendants have always responded faithfully to the duties of American citizenship, and the race being in a majority in the city of Boston we consider it only reasonable that Irish history should have its place in the course of studies in the Boston public schools."

This resolution was adopted at a mass meeting of Irish Americans in Roughan Hall, Charlestown, after the matter had been given most careful consideration.

Chairman Carroll of the committee is confident that the committee will be well received by the School Board, and that its arguments will be effective. Speaking to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter about the matter to-day he said:

"The committee is confident that it will succeed in impressing the School Board with the importance of this movement. There is an enormous Irish-American population in Boston, and thousands of children of Irishmen attend the public schools. They should be taught something of the history of Ireland, which has had such a great influence on the history of other nations.

"We feel that we owe a debt of gratitude to the BOSTON AMERICAN for the cordial support it has given the movement, and for the opportunity it gave us to show how great is the feeling in favor of the teaching of Irish history in the public schools. The BOSTON AMERICAN opened its columns to the public, and the hundreds of letters published show that the public wants Irish history taught to its children."

GIANTS PLAY TO-DAY.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 12.—If Matthewson and Gilbert can play to-day, there will be a game between rival factions of the New York Giants. Gilbert has a bruised foot and Matty a bad cold, but it is thought that they will be O. K. to-day.

HOW ARE YOU?

—ROOSEVELT

FINE, THANKS

—LIEUTENANT

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Among the wounded in the battle of Mount Dajo was Lieutenant Gordon Johnston, formerly a lieutenant in the President's regiment. The President cabled him: "How are you?" He replied: "Fine, thanks."

MANILA, March 12.—All the men wounded in the recent fight with the Moros at Mount Dajo are reported in favorable condition. Jolo is quiet, and the Sultan and head man say that general satisfaction is expressed over the extermination of the outlaws.

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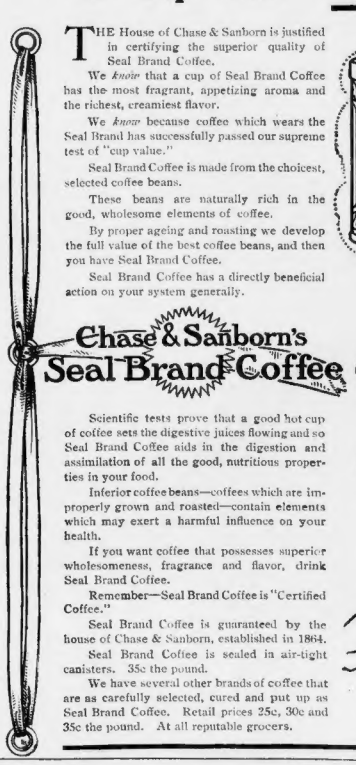

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SAY GILLETTE HAS WED BEAUTIFUL MARIE DORO

MARIE DORO, REPORTED WED TO GILLETTE.

Actor, Silent on Reported Troth to Leading Woman, Says He Is Weary of Denying Gossip.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 12.—William Gillette will not deny that he is married.

Neither will William say that he is not wed.

But Mr. Gillette's friend are not so uncommunicative. They say that Mr. Gillette and his beautiful leading woman, Miss Marie Doro, went on a mysterious trip to Philadelphia last week, and that while in the city of Sleep they called on a clergyman and were wed.

A BOSTON AMERICAN representative called at the Nixon Theatre, where Mr. Gillette is playing, and asked him about the rumor that he and Miss Doro are wed.

"It is a matter I cannot discuss," said Mr. Gillette.

"Then one may draw the inference to be that you and Miss Doro have been married?"

"You may draw any inference you please," responded the man who made Sherlock Holmes famous. The public has had no married for eleven years, denied marriage after marriage, and at last I've got weary of it. I'm not going to deny anything more. If the public wants to think I'm a married man, all well; if it wants to think I'm a bachelor, all right. I won't say one way or the other."

Mr. Gillette's manager was equally mysterious. Miss Doro will not discuss the matter, and her manager refuses to allow her to be interviewed.

PLOT HAAKON'S LIFE, QUEEN ILL

COPENHAGEN, March 12.—The state of health of Queen Maud of Norway is causing no little anxiety here, where Queen Alexandra's daughter has always been very popular. The young woman is not suffering from any particular ailment, but is on the verge of nervous prostration, caused by fear that her husband may be assassinated.

Ever since King Haakon arrived in Christiania he has been receiving threatening letters mailed in various parts of Sweden, in which he was told that unless he speedily abdicated, his days were numbered.

GAS JET OPEN; MAN MAY DIE

Jason F. Brown, sixty years old, was found unconscious on his bed at 7:15 a. m. today with gas escaping from a partly opened jet. He was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital, where his condition is serious.

Brown was found by a ledger named Kenson Taylor at the house, No. 17 South Russell street, who smelled the gas. Brown was dressed. He has a sister, Mrs. Ira Hale, living at No. 3 Falmouth street. The police believe the gas jet was accidentally opened.

DR. GALVIN OUT; SOCIALISM THE CAUSE?

Founder of Emergency Hospital Withdraws After Years of Service.

ENTERS PRIVATE PRACTICE

Dr. George W. Galvin's views as a socialist are believed to be largely responsible for his resignation as head of the Emergency Hospital, a position he has held for a number of years.

Dr. T. F. Aiken is to be elected surgeon-in-chief and medical superintendent, while George C. Griffiths, assistant treasurer, will assume the business management.

Alan interview Dr. Aiken referred to Dr. Galvin's views on socialism. "It may be that these views were not entirely acceptable to the directorate," said Dr. Aiken.

Sixteen years ago Dr. Galvin founded the institution, secured prominent men to go in with him and since that time has worked to make the hospital fill the place not within the scope of the City and Massachusetts General hospitals. Several times he has been in conflict with the authorities and has appeared at various times as instigator of attempted efforts to probe the State prison and insane hospitals.

"The doctor is radical in everything," said Mr. Griffiths, "and his Socialistic views had really no more to do with his voluntary resignation than his other views. Personally I am sorry that he has withdrawn from the institution. To my knowledge there has been no friction between Dr. Galvin and the members of the board of directors.

Dr. Galvin will enter private practice. He gave up an income of $15,000 a year to start the hospital at $2,500.

COADJUTOR ARCHBISHOP COMES TODAY

The Right Rev. William H. O'Connell, D. D., the new coadjutor archbishop of Boston, arrives today on the White Star liner Romanic. The plans for his reception include a welcome at the dock in Charlestown by a large committee of clergymen and laymen, prominent among them being Mayor Fitzgerald, Bishop Delaney of the diocese of New Hampshire, the Right Rev. Mgr. Thomas H. Wallace, D. D., of Lewiston, Me., and the Right Rev. Edward P. Hurley, D. D., V. G., of Portland, Me.

It is not known what Archbishop O'Connell's plans may be, but it is certain that he will be given a reception in Portland on Thursday.

For several weeks a committee of Boston laymen has been making elaborate arrangements for a reception and banquet April 18, to be held in Symphony Hall.

Among those invited are President Roosevelt, the Japanese minister at Washington, the Japanese consul at Boston, Governor Guild, Mayor Fitzgerald and many other dignitaries.

The special guest of honor will be the venerable and much-beloved Archbishop Williams.

JACK HARKAWAY'S SON

WHEN Jack Harkaway found himself lost in the Arctic storm, separated from his friends Larsen and Kodio, he knew not what to do. But when he was attacked by a huge walrus it looked as though the North Pole and its treasure were likely to remain undiscovered, at least as far as he was concerned.

CHAPTER V.

Adrift on a Floe

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ALTHOUGH completely taken by surprise, Jack's presence of mind did not desert him.

The walrus, fortunately, was an ungainly creature, and he was so blinded by the snow as not to be able to use his terrible tusks effectively.

At the same time he was an adversary not to be despised, and he was plainly bent on destroying this strange creature he had fallen upon, and whom he undoubtedly regarded as the author of his troubles.

Jack could see its eyes glowering with fury, as the big head made lunge after lunge, and it required active dodging to escape him.

It was not safe to retreat any great distance.

Jack had already gone so far that he was uncertain as to the proximity of a precipice or crevasse, and he had to feel his way to every step taken in getting out of the way of the creature's onslaughts.

Once or twice he tried to reach for his pistol. His gun he had laid down a few minutes before, and it was soon swallowed up in the storm.

But his hands were numb, and, with their heavy mittens, it was utterly impossible to use them to any advantage. He had, therefore, no time to do anything beast and step aside to avoid its attacks, but every his eyes noted on the Eskimo.

What he most feared was that the walrus would topple on him, crushing his life out beneath its tremendous weight.

There had been no abatement of the storm, and it was only with the greatest difficulty that Jack was able to keep his balance at all.

Presently, however, an unexpected advantage became his. The walrus threw itself forward in a tremendous lunge, slipped and fell sprawling.

It required but an instant for Jack to whip out his pistol, and but a second or two longer to empty every chamber into the head of the floundering brute, which without another sound fell prone and lifeless.

To Jack's surprise and delight, the storm began now to die down. The wind ceased its fury, the snow began to settle in great drifts, and in ten minutes he could see for several hundred yards about him on every side, although as yet not a soul was visible.

He immediately set out to scale the nearest peak, hoping from there to catch sight of one of the others. But he had gone but a little way when he became conscious of a rolling motion underfoot, which increased until he became exceedingly uneasy.

He kept steadily climbing on, however, and in a few minutes his worst fears were confirmed.

Open water was visible half a mile away on every side. The floe he was on had been broken from the main mass of ice and was cruising about helplessly in an unknown northern sea.

To Be Continued.

HID MARRIAGE SECRET IN SHOE

NEW YORK, March 12.—The finding of the marriage certificate tucked away in the bride's shoe told the story in Newark of the marriage of Miss Anna Marie Higgins to George Herbert Jerman. The ceremony was performed by a Justice of the Peace on January 26, and it was the intention of the couple to keep the matter quiet.

The bride's mother was arranging her daughter's trousseau when the certificate fell from one of her shoes. The bride is but nineteen years old, while the bridegroom is twenty-one.

WOMAN SCULPTOR HAS APPENDICITIS

NEW YORK, March 12.—Miss Enid Yandell, the American sculptor who has been a regular exhibitor for the past eight years in Paris salons and has won many medals in this country, is to undergo an operation for appendicitis in Dr. John B. Walker's private hospital at No. 36 East Thirty-third street to-day.

NEW WILLIAMSTOWN CAPTAIN

WILLIAMSTOWN, March 12.—Frank Rollinson Nefld is to be captain of the 1906 Williamstown baseball team.

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Men's New Spring Sample Suits—$18.00 values, to-morrow at $10.50.

Women's $1.50 Pearl Clasp Russian Cape Gloves—to-morrow at $1.27.

Women's All Linen sheer and heavy hemstitched 10c Handkerchiefs at 5c.

Terra Cotta Vases—Pompeiian Green Bronze finish—values up to $2.00 at 50c.

1,000 dozen polished glass Water Tumblers—regularly 50c—doz. at 19c.

200 Enamel Beds—all sizes, brass trimmings—extended foot, at $2.95.

Brass Beds—very heavy, fine construction, best lacquer—each $25.00.

Bleached Pillow Cases—extra heavy and firm—18c kind, to-morrow 10c.

Eiderdown Dressing Sacque—beautifully trimmed—$1.50 value at 47c.

Infant's Long Slip—cambric, edged with torchon lace—special at 19c.

Stamped Pillow Tops—24 in. linen, all shades and designs, at 12c.

German Flannel Kimona Sacque—Japanese and Persian patterns—each 41c.

Women's $3 Spring style button and lace Boots light weight, pair $2.

25c to 30c Cambric and Nainsook Edgings blind and open work, at 19c.

98c Copper Tea Kettles—nickel plated—size No. 7, flat bottom, at 65c.

Puritan Cooking Kettles—all sizes, values up to $1.00, choice at 49c.

Double Boilers of Grey enamel ware—4 qts., 75c value, for 39c.

Women's 35c Black Gauze Lisle Thread Hose—garter top, pair 25c.

Women's 50c Swiss Ribbed, hand embroidered Vests, at 29c.

Men's 75c Negligee Shirts—white cheviot, percales, each 49c.

Clinton Safety Pins—all sizes, black or white—dozen 3c.; 2 doz. 5c.

Hygienic Belts—all sizes, the regular 15c kind, Tuesday only, at 9c.

Maine Fancy Sugar Corn—2 doz. for $2.05—doz., $1.05—2 lb. can, 9c.

Finest XXXX Minnesota Patent Flour—bbl., $5.50—24½ lb. sack, 69c.

Finest Creamery Butter—Hazel Brand—fresh, pure and sweet 5 lb. box, $1.48.

Best O. G. Java and P. B. Mocha Coffee—4¼ lbs., $1—lb., 25c.

2,000 yards of beautiful 39c Silk Eolienne, again Tuesday, a yard, 29c.

52 in. Panamas, invisible corded effect—75c kind at 55c.

43 in. Wool Batiste Veilings—20 new shades—75c value, at 59c.

Silk Batiste Corsets—newest Waist—Tapering Model—$4 values, at $2.00.

100 pairs $4.00 Tapestry Portieres—a pair, to-morrow, $2.50.

What the Business Men of Cleveland Said About This Store

A large committee of Cleveland business men visited every store in Chicago, New York, Philadelphia and Boston, and upon returning home reported that this store was the most perfectly kept and far superior in appointments to any other store visited. What does that mean? It means that Boston people have, in the Siegel store, the finest trading center in the world.

GET A PRIZE BY WRITING A "LIMERICK"

The American Wants Funny Jingles About Fitzgerald, Moran and Lawson.

CASH FOR BEST EACH DAY

A Mayor named Fitz, bet upon it,
is making us busy, dog gone it.
He's trying to cram
his B's
in bunches of threes;
But mighty near
mostly at work in his bonnet.

The above is a Limerick. It isn't the best in the world, but it illustrates how easy they are to compose.

Did you ever try to write one? No? Well, they're the easiest thing in the world to put together. Just try it and see. And to stimulate you to your efforts, the BOSTON AMERICAN offers a cash prize for the best Limericks printed each day.

Three public characters have been selected for a starter—John B. Moran, Mayor John F. Fitzgerald and James W. Lawson. All three are men who do things, so Thursday the BOSTON AMERICAN will print Limericks on John B. Moran, Friday Mayor Fitzgerald and Lawson in the limelight. And on Saturday "Tom" Lawson will be the theme.

Write a Limerick on any one of these three public men or write on all three. Your Limerick, along with the others, will be submitted to competent judges and the best Limerick printed each day will receive a cash prize of $1.

Write out your effort to-day. Be early in the field and avoid the rush. Address as name is given above. All will receive equal consideration at the hands of the judges.

Address Limerick, Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, 80 to 82 Summer street, Boston.

SCHOONERS IN COLLISION

The schooner J. W. Parker, captain Christopher Gibbs, came into port to-day with five feet of her railing on the star-board side gone and many other evidences of a collision with the schooner Fannie Belle Atwood, captain Freeman Mason.

The crash occurred on Monday, Sunday last Tuesday. Captain Gibbs says that the Atwood was considerably damaged but not enough to require assistance to allow the other schooner in making her way in.

NEWS OF LABOR.

Carriage and Wagon Workers' Union, a large share of those present were ready for the union agreement, held an all-day mass meeting yesterday in Paine Memorial Hall.

In view of the statement issued Saturday night by the agent of the association of some of the employers, and which, the union says, misrepresented the facts, the meeting appointed a committee to draft a statement in answer. This in part says:

"Only a number of men who struck went out. Only five union men resigned at work on Monday. Two more struck over-out. About fifty non-union men also came out during the week and all joined the union. Not a man who struck has returned to work except to sign which has forced the union's agreement.

The bosses, in a statement issued last night, say that ten more firms have signed and that they were not a factor in the industry. Instead of ten, only eight shops have signed and are now working under the union agreement.

TEAM DRIVERS IMPATIENT.

At the request of Teamsters' Union No. 26, whose wage scale and working agreement for 1906 has not yet been signed, a meeting of Team Owners' Association of Boston has been called for Wednesday night at No. 45 Pearl street.

Officers of the union who attended the meeting of the employers' association of nine lines yesterday said that the members of Union No. 26 were becoming impatient at the delay and are vigorously advocating a settlement if the agreement is not speedily adjusted.

NEW UNION STARTED.

Boston & Albany Railroad Freight Handlers' Union No. 80 was instituted yesterday under a charter from the International Freight Handlers' and Warehousemen's Union of the A. F. of L. at No. 45 Elliot street.

The following officers were elected: Hayes, president; Joseph Ring, vice-president; Timothy Doyle, financial secretary; Jeremiah Mahoney, financial secretary; Timothy Hurley, treasurer; Timothy Hurley, conductor; Patrick Sullivan, sergeant-at-arms, and F. J. Sullivan, Jeremiah Ryan and Patrick Ward, trustees. The meetings will be held on the second and fourth Sunday afternoons at No. 45 Elliot street.

TACKMAKERS' ORGANIZE.

BROCKTON, March 12.—The tackmakers and the sanders, feeders and choppers, who struck at the W. W. Cole Co. shoe manufactory, were organized yesterday into local unions affiliating with the American Federation of Labor. Their action will be reported to the Central Labor Union this week, and the unions of shoe workers everywhere will be asked to recognize the label tacks.

LABOR NOTES.

A meeting of the new Hod Carriers' Union will be held to-morrow night at No. 45 Elliot street, Allston, from which all interested are invited.

The union of Italian building laborers recently organized is growing rapidly and is expected to be a strong body.

Boston Building Trades Council yesterday nominated Secretary Timothy Foley of the Council of the Central Labor Union, every trade in conjunction with the present Building Trades Council.

Another union of Italian building laborers and another of Italian teamsters were formed by D'Allesandro, president of the Boston unions of those trades, at a large meeting in Lewis hall. The international union affiliated with the A. F. of L.

Colored Waiters' Union No. 81 has organized a notice to all the colored bellboys of the city to be at a meeting Thursday night in the union's headquarters, No. 38 Dover street, when the new union of bellboys and men will be formally instituted.

AUTOMOBILES.

STANLEY—Bargain, in good running order top new, power, newly upholstered and painted. $225. J. J. CANNELL, tel. 89-3 Everett.

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WED WITTINGLY; NO HELP NOW

NEWTON, Ia., March 12.—"You are both adults, and being adults you were old enough to know what you were doing when you were married. Now you can't come to me to help you out."

With these words Judge Preston denied a divorce to Mrs. John Haze, who is thirty, the husband being sixty-three.

Not long after their wedding she says Haze began abusing her. She told her tale of cruelty to the court, but he declared she should have thought before marriage and that he saw no reason for interfering in her behalf now.

DEATH NOTICES.

ALLARD—In this city, March 8, Elizabeth, wife of Louis Allard, aged 46 years. Funeral from residence of her cousin, Miss Mary Ann Lynch, 1 Wyman street, Jamaica Plain, March 12. A requiem mass at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Holyhood cemetery. Kindly omit flowers and friends invited to attend. Interment at Holyhood cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

BERGAN—In this city, March 9, Bridget, widow of William Bergan, aged 76 years. Funeral from her late residence, 116 West Brookline street, Monday morning, March 12, at 8:30 a. m. Services at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to be present.

BANCROFT—In Walpole Village, South Boston, March 10, Margaret, widow of Dennis Bancroft, aged 80 years. Funeral from St. Peter's church, Tuesday, March 13, at 9 o'clock a. m. Interment in St. Augustine's Church at St. Rolaness and friends invited.

BURLEY—In East Cambridge, Friday, March 9, Jeremiah Burley, aged 70 years. Funeral from his late residence, 242 Cambridge street, Monday afternoon, March 12, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Church of the Sacred Heart at 9. Interment private.

LEARY—In Cambridge, March 8, Catherine F., beloved daughter of Hannah and the late Donald Leary, aged 20 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 19 Sumner street, Cambridge, on Monday, March 12, at 8:30 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

EAGAN—In Chelsea, March 10, Michael J. Eagan, beloved husband of Mary A. Eagan. Funeral from his late residence, 2-3 Congress street, Chelsea, Monday morning, March 12, at 8:30 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Rose's Church at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

McLEOD—In Roxbury, March 10, Flora, widow of the late Hugh McLeod.

Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Cardwell, 16 Ashland street, Monday, March 12, at 8:30 a. m. High mass of requiem at Mission Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends requested. Prince Edward Island papers please copy.

SARDINO—In this city, March 10, Catherine, beloved wife of Joseph Sardino, aged 34 years, 2 mos. 27 ds.

Funeral from her late residence, 20 Prawer st., Tuesday morning, at 8:15. Solemn requiem high mass at Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Burial private.

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$1,000—RESTAURANT, must be all cash; but the best offer ever seen; don't fail to look this up; 2 blocks from Boston Theatre. PITZ & HALL, 293 Washington st., Boston.

$500 WILL BUY the fishing house of 12 guests at Nantasket Beach; rent $200; no agents. Address K 221, Boston American.

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Storage Warehouse

N. B. The exposed lot of Pianos and Furniture will be sent from Storage Rooms to Storage Salesroom, 36 to 40 Dover street, Monday, March 12.—Notifications having been duly given, nothing to contract. Sale positive.—Nothing held back or reserved.

NO PROFIT PIANO SALE

Hallet & Davis Upright....$85.00
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CITY OF BOSTON.

CITY OF BOSTON, Board of Street Commissioners, Boston, March 9, 1906. The Board of Street Commissioners give notice that they will be in session at their office, No. 18 Court House, on Friday, March 16, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., to hear all parties interested in the petition of the Boston Elevated Railway Company for the location of the Cross Town Line, beginning at the intersection of Tremont street and Shawmut avenue, thence by Shawmut avenue, Albany street, Mill street and Harrison avenue to Dover street. Board of Street Commissioners, 252 Board of Survey, Room 18, Court House. Reservation, 1 WILLIAM D. CHARLES, JAMES H. VAHEY, WILLIAM J. FALLON, Boston, March 9, 1906.

NOTICES.

COPPER RANGE CONSOLIDATED COMPANY. Boston, March 9, 1906. The Board of Directors has declared a dividend of Twenty-five Cents (25c) per share, payable on April 2, 1906, to stockholders of record March 31, 1906, to stock-holders of record March 31, 1906, to stock-holders of record March 31, 1906, to stock-hol

WHOLE WORLD OF SPORTS COVERED FOR THE BOSTON AMERICAN BY ITS CORPS OF EXPERTS

YOUNG CORBETT SAYS NELSON WILL WIN FROM M'GOVERN BY A KNOCKOUT IN LESS THAN FOUR ROUNDS

By Young Corbett.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—I have been asked repeatedly whom I like to win Wednesday night's fight in Philadelphia, and while I have hesitated in giving my opinion, I feel that, since I have fought both Terry and Nelson, and know their ability to the "I" that I owe the public my opinion. Battling Nelson will win this fight, and he will win it by a knockout in less than four rounds. I look for the Dane to guard carefully for the first three rounds, permitting Terry to fire away at him until tired. Then in the fourth round Nelson will open fire, and McGovern will fall. As I have said above, I have had the pleasure of meeting both of these boys in the ring. I met Terry twice, and each time I knocked him out. He was at his best then, and I had no great trouble in winning. Nelson and I fought two battles, and in each I went down, only to be counted out. I was at my best then. Terry came at me like a lion from his cage. He opened fire, and I must truthfully say his fists were everywhere. I had to watch his every move lest he would put over his famous sleep-producer. The first round was a fast one, and after the bell sounded ending that round I realized that I was in a fight. However, I had studied him carefully and planned a new style. I tried it, and it worked successfully. The bell sounded for the commencement of the second round. He rushed from his corner as though to finish me in a punch. I crouched and walked in. A shower of blows came at me, but I warded them off, and suddenly, yes, like a flash, I saw my chance and slipped it over. It caught Terry on the right spot and in the right time, and he went down to defeat. Two years later I met him again in this city. He was trained to the hour, and that I would meet defeat was the general belief. We battled hard for eleven rounds, when again I found the right spot at the right time. This proved conclusively that I was his master. I hope he is in great shape, for it would be criminal to send a broken-down man against a bull like the Dane. Regardless of what his condition is, when he steps into the ring Wednesday night he will meet his Waterloo.

FAST LOCAL MEN MEET TONIGHT.

Principal Bouts Carded This Week

TO-NIGHT.

Rene O'Brien vs. Chester Goodwin.
Lincoln A. C., Chelsea.
Tommy Sullivan vs. Mike Fraher, Hub A. C. delphia.

TUESDAY.

Young Donahue vs. Billy Greenspan, Fall River, Mass.

WEDNESDAY.

Terry McGovern vs. Battling Nelson, Philadelphia.
Jack Johnson vs. Joe Jeannette, Baltimore.
Philadelphia Jack O'Brien vs. Hugo Kelly, Philadelphia.
Mike Gibbons vs. Dan Sullivan, Armory A. A., Minneapolis.
Joe Gans

GET A PRIZE BY WRITING A "LIMERICK"

The American Wants Funny Jingles About Fitzgerald, Moran and Lawson.

CASH FOR BEST EACH DAY

A Mayor named Fitz, bet upon it,
Is making us busy, dog gone it.
He's turned loose his B's
In bunches of threes;
But they're mostly at work in his bonnet.

The above is a Limerick. It isn't the best in the world, but it illustrates how easy they are to compose.

Did you ever try to write one? No? Well, that's the easiest thing in the world to put together. Just try it and see. And to stimulate you in your efforts, the BOSTON AMERICAN offers a cash prize for the best Limerick printed daily.

Three public characters have been selected for a starter: John H. Moran, Mayor John F. Fitzgerald and Thomas W. Lawson. All three are men who do things, and right here in the BOSTON AMERICAN will print Limericks on John H. Moran Friday. Mayor Fitzgerald will be in the limelight, and on Saturday Thomas W. Lawson will be the theme.

Write a Limerick on any one of these three public men or write on all three. Your Limerick, with the others, will be submitted to competent judges and the best Limerick printed each day will receive a cash prize of $2.

Write your effort to-day. Be early in the field and "avoid the rush." Send in as many as you choose. All will receive equal consideration at the hands of the judges.

Address Limerick Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, 450-82 Summer street, Boston.

SCHOONERS IN COLLISION

The schooner J. W. Parker, Captain Christopher Gibbons, came into port to-day with five feet of her rolling on the starboard side gone and bearing other evidences of a collision with the schooner Francis Hall, which passed down Boston Mason.

The crash occurred on Gong Ledge last Tuesday. Captain Gibbs says that the Atwood was considerably more damaged but not enough to sink her. He thinks the other schooner is making her way in.

NEWS of LABOR.

Carriage and Wagon Workers' Union, a large share of whose members are on strike for the union agreement, held an all-day mass meeting yesterday in Paine Memorial Hall.

In view of the statement issued Saturday night by the agent of the association of some of the employers that the union agreement, misrepresented the facts, the meeting appointed a committee to draft a statement of the facts in which part says:

"The number of men who struck was 600. Only five union men remained at work on Monday. Two have since gone out. About fifty non-union men also came out during the week and all joined the union. Not a man who struck has returned to work except to shops which have signed the union's agreement.

"The bosses, in a statement issued Saturday night, say that but seven firms have signed and that they were not a factor in the industry. Instead of seven, thirty-eight shops have signed and are now working under the union agreement."

TEAM DRIVERS IMPATIENT.

At the request of teamsters' Union No. 25, whose wage scale and working agreement with 1900 firms has not been signed, a meeting of Team Drivers' District Council has been called for Wednesday night at No. 44 Tremont.

Officers of the union who attended the meetings of the association of employers yesterday said that the members of Union No. 25 were "getting restless" at the failure to arbitrate the matter and were vigorously advocating a strike if the agreement is not speedily adjusted.

NEW UNION STARTED.

Boston & Albany Railroad Freight Handlers' Union No. 80 was instituted yesterday under a charter from the International Freight Handlers and Inverter Warehousemen's Union of the A. F. of L. at No. 45 1/2 Portland street.

The following officers were elected: J. F. Hogan, president; John Sullivan, vice president; Timothy Doyle, recording secretary; Jeremiah Sullivan, financial secretary; Timothy Hurley, treasurer; James Cowing, sergeant-at-arms, and Fr. Collins, Jeremiah O'Connor and Patrick Ward, trustees. The meetings will be held on the second and fourth Sunday afternoons at No. 45 1/2 First street.

TACKMAKERS' ORGANIZE.

BROCKTON, March 12.—The tackmakers and finishers' workers and shoppers who strick at the W. W. Cross & Co. manufactory, were organized yesterday afternoon into two locals, and will affiliate with the American Federation of Labor. The organizers say the strike will be won, as everywhere will be asked to recognize the label tacks.

LABOR NOTES.

A meeting of the Labor Help Union will be held to-morrow night at No. 4, 103d street, when the by-laws will be presented.

The union of Boston building laborers, recently organized at Lawson's wharf, Charlestown, Boston Building Trades Council yesterday was on record as having no jurisdiction over the Central Labor Union, merely through its delegates, and not through the building trades council.

Another union of Italian building laborers and masons was formed last night at No. 19 D'Alessandro, president of the Boston unions of Italian laborers, and the union will be the first international union affiliated with the A. F. of L.

Colored Waiters' Union No. 208 has issued a notice to all the colored bellboys of the city to be at a meeting Thursday night at the union's headquarters, No. 38 Dover street, when the new union of bellboys and men will be formally instituted.

AUTOMOBILES.

STANLEY—Bargain, in good running order, two new pumps, newly upholstered and painted, $225. J. J. CANNELL, tel. 89-3 Everett.

MUSIC.

BOSTON MUSICIANS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION—Local No. 9, A. F. of M. Headquarters 64 Federal st.

ACCOUNTANTS.

AUDITING—Go anywhere; systematizing; keep this address. P. O. Box 762, Providence, R. I.

WED WITTINGLY; NO HELP NOW

NEWTON, Is., March 12.—You are both adults, and being adults you were old enough to know what you were doing when you were married. Now you can't come to me to help you out.

With these words Judge Preston denied a divorce to Mrs. John Haze, who is thirty, the husband being sixty-three.

Not long after their wedding she says Haze began abusing her. She told her tale of cruelty to the court, but he declared she should have thought before marriage and that he saw no reason for interfering in her behalf now.

DEATH NOTICES.

ALLARD—In this city, March 9, Elizabeth, wife of George Allard of Concord, N. H., 39 yrs. Funeral from her late residence, 19 Mayo street, Dorchester, Tuesday, March 13, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

BOLAN—In Boston, March 9, Bridget, beloved wife of Patrick Bolan. Funeral from her late residence, 1 Rogers at., Ashmont, Dorchester, on Tuesday, March 13, at 8:15 a. m., thence to St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's church, Dorchester, at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

BOLAN—In Washington Village, South Boston, March 12, Patrick, husband of Bridget Bolan. Funeral from his late residence, 1 Rogers at., Ashmont, Dorchester, on Tuesday, March 13, at 8:15 a. m., thence to St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's church, Dorchester, at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

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DUGGAN—In this city, March 9, John F. Foley, 45 yrs. 8 mos 15 ds.

Funeral from his late residence, 110 West Canton st., South End, Monday, March 12, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Joseph's church, Appleton st. Mass at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

DONOVAN—In Roxbury, March 9, Bridget, beloved wife of Timothy Donovan.

Funeral from her late residence, 1 Rogers at., Ashmont, Dorchester, on Tuesday, March 13, at 8:15 a. m., thence to St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's church, Dorchester, at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

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Funeral from his late residence, 110 West Canton st., South End, Monday, March 12, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Joseph's church, Appleton st. Mass at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at New Calvary cemetery.

HEELEY—In Cambridge, March 8, Catherine F., beloved daughter of Hannah and the late Dennis Heeley.

Funeral from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Dennis Harrington, 5 Ivaloo st., Cambridgeport, March 12, at 8:45 a. m., thence to St. Mary's church, Cambridge, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

HERLIHY—In Roxbury, March 10, Ellen, widow of Michael Herlihy.

Funeral from her late residence, 12 Hall st., Monday, March 12, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

HERLIHY—In Roxbury, March 10, Ellen, widow of Michael Herlihy.

Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Michael Fretwell, 16 Gregson st., Tuesday, March 13, at 8:45 a. m., thence to St. Patrick's church at Mission Church at 9 o'clock. Attendance of relatives and friends invited. Interment private. Inland papers please copy.

HOLLAND—In this city, March 10, Caterina, beloved wife of the late Giovanni Sandrio, aged 62 yrs. 2 mos.

Funeral from her late residence, 20 Travers st., Thursday, March 15, at 8:30 a. m., thence to high mass at Sacred Heart church, North sq., at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

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Newton Foreclosure, $2,750.
ATTRACTIVE HOUSE, 8 rooms, bath, open plumbing, set tubs, sun parlor, hardwood finish; Newton Centre. EDWARD T. HARDING Tel. 38 Newton.

ON STATE ROAD, Framingham, 5 mile from electric cars, 7 rooms and bath, modern built, neat cottage, cemented cellar, tiled kitchen and bath, hardwood floors, open plumbing, set tubs, sun parlor, fine shade trees; $1,600. $1,000 cash may remain on mortgage at 5 per cent. Apply to owner, 20 Wendell st., Boston.

$200 CASH secures attractive 5-acre home, on trolley line, near electric station, depot and factories, pure water and within the best of schools; 7 rooms and bath, hardwood floors, open plumbing and electric lights, excellent neighborhood; price $1,600; balance $10 monthly; 6 months' grace on each home $5,000; $300 to $500 cash. H. M. PAYSON & CO., 53 State st., Boston.

HANDSOME steam heated 2-apartment house, 22 rooms, good stand, investment property for sale or exchange for unincumbered property for one or two families. Apply to owner, 1 Pemberton sq., room 20, 2d floor, Boston.

CHICAGO 1st gold mortgages for sale $1,000 and $500 bonds; 6 per cent; due 1911; total issue $3,500, and secured for $1,800; $2,500 of which is held in Boston; will exchange for Boston real estate; bonded for $3,000; 60 acres; 40 under cultivation; 20 timber; fine location; will earn over $7,500; $3,000 at 6%; 3 years; secured by 3 mtgs. on farm. BOND, 53 State st., Boston.

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$600 WINS it in an absolute guaranteed money-making weekly paying, legitimate, unexpensive business. Call or write quick, A. SAYLES & CO., Room 872, 166 South State.

POOL ROOM—In Washington st., old established stand, good location, rent $25, cash or open for a trade, see REED & MORRILL.

RESTAURANT—On one of the busiest thoroughfares in Boston; fitted complete; $250 cash secures this place, see REED & MORRILL, Room 872, 166 South State, Boston.

LUNCH ROOM for sale, near Young's Hotel, rent $24, good business, $225 cash. Don't look this up; price $1,000. J. L. MAHONEY.

50-ROOM LODGING HOUSE for sale in South End, low rent, income $320 per month, $2,000 part cash. See J. L. MAHONEY, 6 Boston st.

RESTAURANT, doing good business, fine location; easy terms. BARRY & CO., 252 Tremont st.

VARIETY STORE, rooms connected, doing a good business; $700. City Hall square. BARRY & CO., 252 Tremont st., cor. Waltham.

LIQUOR LICENSE for sale; $1,000; good for all denominations. COWAN & CO.

POOLROOM and cigar stand for sale, cheap rent, good stand, central. BARRY & CO., 252 Tremont row, Boston.

$500—NEAT little cigar, tobacco, news stand, good location, rent $15; for sheer truth, has established 15 years, only one store in large place; can't handle more; good, steady, very large place; will clear $25 weekly; real grand chance. Don't write unless you mean business; this one must be sold at once. STUART, 90 Washington st.

$2,500—VARIETY, cigar, conf., papers, etc., elegant soda fount, rear of store, fitted complete, 10 years, little rent, fine location, central, PHINNEY, 2183 Washington, Roxbury.

SAVINGS BANK depositors secure 5 per cent interest on our $100 shares; payments $1 per week. THE UNITED LOAN & TRUST CO., room 42A, 53 State st. Call or write for full particulars and circular.

FOR SALE—Either the lumber or the hardware business of the Elliot Lumber Co., Dorchester; were stores in the Elliot Lumber Co. building, Dorchester. Apply to the receiver, Inquire of Boston Associates, 53 State st.

$275—CRABTS and periodicals, main cor., three large 5 show cases, 2 ice boxes, 2 counters, 1 desk, 1 scale, GRANITE STATE OFFICE, Room 24, 53 State st., Boston.

$200—LODGING HOUSE, 17 rooms, rent $40, income $100 month, greatest bargain on earth. HALIFAX & CO., 1 Scollay sq., Boston.

$1,000—RESTAURANT, must be all cash, but the best chance to get down deal to look this up; location, the trolley corner of Dover & Washington, Boston American.

$500 will BUY my lodging house of 12 rooms, rent $40; cash only. Address, for interview, Bankers, Address K 221, Boston American.

$350—GROCERY and provision store, just in, modern improvements, also repair, 5-529 st., Boston American.

RESTAURANT—Down Town business, must be sold at once. Price $1,200. COLLINS & CO., 53 State st.

LODGING HOUSE for sale, 20 rooms and bath, rent $75, and sublet; apply 197 Mood st., Lynn.

DINING ROOM in the West End, good location, price $200. LYONS, 80 Court st., Boston.

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$60 SINGER, good as new, for $5, at 50 Washington st., Rm., next Shaw's dance floor.

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

Storage Warehouse

N. B. The exposed lot of Pianos and Furniture will be sold from Storage Warehouse, Monday morning, March 12—Notifications having been given according to contract.—Sale positive.—Nothing held back or reserved.

NO PROFIT PIANO SALE

Hallet & Davis Upright....$85.00
Rich, Walnut Case, 9 Pedals, Nice Tone.
Chickering Upright.....88.50
Three Pedals, 67th Scale, Mahogany Case.
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Fine Mahogany Case, 7 Pedals. Will be Recommended.
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Kranich & Bach Upright....70.00
Chickering Upright.....67.50
Vose Upright.....62.50
Vose Upright.....55.00
Rogers Upright.....37.50
Mahogany.
Steinway Piano.....35.00
Chickering Upright.....27.50
Gilbert Upright.....24.75
Merrill Upright.....112.55
Rich, Mahogany Mahogany Case.
Ivers & Pond Upright.....110.00
Mahogany.
Ivers & Pond Upright.....98.00
Mahogany.

$5 DOWN, $1 PER WEEK.

Don't see the impression that only second hand Pianos can be sold at this sale. We have a large and complete assortment of new stock of new Pianos of some small dealer who has failed and we have taken them shipped to Storage Warehouse in his stock and bought let it go. We have in the lot a number of 5 year Agencies of Pianos that the large corps of agents come up in the salesrooms and sell for $400 and $500.

Now we would advise you to make up your mind to buy your Piano this week. Don't wait. Don't put off. Don't say you will next week. There are not enough Pianos in the lot to last through Saturday. Come to-day, and by to-morrow they will be at home for sale until Monday. People who get in first get the best bargains. Every day we receive letters from parties who have purchased Pianos of us and are coming back for second Pianos. We tell no Piano go out before being assured of its thorough satisfactoriness. Every Piano is guaranteed as represented or money back. 1,000 Pianos in our Warehouse, building so large; entrance will be where you see the red flag. Positive all this week; open Saturday, March 10, P. M. ROXBURY STORAGE WAREHOUSE, 125 Shawmut av., Roxbury.

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

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Chickering....Semi Grand....$500
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Decker Bros..Upright 200
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Everett....Upright 175
Wm. Bourne & Son....Upright 135
Schumann....Upright 120
Schumann....Upright 115
New England Upright 90

In the above list are some really fine pianos marked at genuinely low prices; an opportunity to secure a good piano at small cost from a reliable house. Easy instalment terms.

Henry F. Miller & Sons Piano Co.
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180 TREMONT ST.
Piano Sale
Extraordinary

Gabler, $200. GRANDS.
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Hallet & Davis, $135. Chickering, $295.
Cabinet Grand, $210. Weber, $295.
Wm. Knabe, $195. Steinway, $375.
Ivers & Pond, $190. Mahogany, all makes, from $190 to $75.

Prices are for choice of over 100 pianos that is now on exhibition floor in our warerooms. All are guaranteed as represented or money back. Pianos sold anywhere by mail. Write us today for full description free by mail. See us before you purchase.

WOOD PIANO CO.
180 TREMONT STREET
PIANO SLAUGHTER
STORAGE SALE

A great many people are ignorant of the fact that we have also the opportunity to buy a piano on the same possibilities as to buy a piano at the factory sales. Sometimes the finest pianos that are made go almost for a song. Some pianos of the best known makes are slightly used, slightly, and at that in the best of houses, are sold at prices that seem impossible. Many of the second-hand pianos are sold regardless of price.

Planos of all makes, new and second hand, are on sale on the floors of the Piano Slaughter Storage sale, the price is always the lowest, the terms the easiest. Any responsible man or woman who wants to buy a piano economically, has the opportunity to-day. Come to-day to look around a little, go up where the rents are cheaper and buy your piano right.

Several nice upright pianos which must be sold at once, $75 to $150. Square pianos, $25 to $75. Organs, $15 and $20. Mahogany upright, 3 pedals, latest style, at $200; cost $400. Other pianos at $150 to $175. Terms, $5 down and $5 monthly. Pianos delivered anywhere. Instructions to be paid; no fancy floors; our expenses are small. Piano Slaughter Storage sale, 53 Beach st., cor. Lincoln; our terms the most liberal. Free cartage within 10 miles. Open evenings. Store on Beach st., cor. Lincoln, 1 block from Washington st. Take Beach st. cars from Scollay sq. Piano Slaughter Storage sale, 53 Beach st., cor. Lincoln.

MUSIC TEACHER will sell upright piano, new, give 1 year's lessons for $100; must sell this per month. Inquire after 4 p. m., 30 Moreland st., Roxbury.

WINTER RESORTS.

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A train of superior equipment—Combination Observation, Library, and Buffet Car, Double Drawing Room Sleeping Cars, Pullman Standard Sleepers and Dining Cars.

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CAN YOU BEAT THIS?
A MANTLE that will last a year, two for a quarter. 156 Franklin st., WIEDERHOLD LIGHT CO.

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No. 9 Cambridge st., location op. All who desire free examination and treatment call 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. daily. Diseases of the Throat, Nose, Ear, Eyes, Rheumatism, Nervousness, including BLOOD DISEASES, a specialty for students. All diseases treated. CALL or write.

FAUCET REPAIRS, IRON POLISH, 25 Warren st., Roxbury.

CITY OF BOSTON.

CITY OF BOSTON, Board of Street Commissioners, Room 511, City Hall, Boston, March 9, 1906. The Board of Street Commissioners give notice that they will be in session for the hearing of parties interested on Friday, March 16, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the matter of the petition of the Boston Elevated Railway Company for the location of a single track railway in Washington street, Mill street, Dorchester, and Adams street, Mill street, Dorchester, as shown on plans filed in the office of the City Secretary. Said petition is to the effect that permission be granted to the petitioner to construct and maintain a single track railway in Washington street, Mill street, Dorchester, and Adams street, Mill street, Dorchester, as shown on plans filed with said petition. Board of Street Commissioners, Room 511, City Hall, Boston. EDWARD D. CHADBOURNE, CHARLES J. HARRIS, JAMES A. SULLIVAN, Commissioners.

NOTICES.

COPPER BASIN CONSOLIDATED COMPANY. Boston, March 9, 1906. The Board of Directors has declared a dividend of one dollar per share, payable on the 30th day of March, 1906, to the stockholders of record at the close of business on the 15th day of March, 1906. The transfer books will be closed at the office of the Company, 60 State st., Boston, from March 15 to March 30, 1906, inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors. FREDERIC STANWOOD, Treasurer.

WALL PAPERS.

AT BASCOM'S—Washington st. upstairs—paper from 3c. roll; ceilings 18c.; moulding 1c. foot; borders 1c. yard; shades 18c. mounted on cloth.

A BARGAIN—Ingrain, 5c. roll up; window shades, 18c. Tape, foot. BASCOM, 761 Washington.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

$75 A WEEK
PAYS for Course in Nursing as a stenographer at FRANKLIN AUDITORY, 136 Boylston st.

MACHINERY AND TOOLS.

AN EXCELLENT 3-h. p. gas engine for sale; can be seen running at CO-OPERATIVE RUBBER CO., 170 Mercer st.

AGENTS.

AGENTS! did you ever eat beans cooked in the far-famed bean holes in the lumber camps? Our patent pots contain bean pot cooks. Here's the same delicious and nutritious COOKERY TEN SIL'VER, 66 Chaney st., Boston.

EXPERIENCED agent on premises in advertising office, 170 TEMPLE, Brookline, Mass.

HELP WANTED—Male.

AUTOMOBILE SCHOOLS OF AMERICA—Thoroughly trained lads this spring; we fit them capable to run, repair and sell cars; 1906 graduates at $20 to $40 a week; day or evening classes; catalogue free. 1906 Boylston.

AUTOMOBILES—We teach men to drive and repair automobiles for $15 we guarantee license; different types of cars to practice on. BOSTON AUTO SCHOOL, 347 Tremont st.

A YOUNG MAN with some experience in the advertising business, to solicit advertisements. Apply between 9 and 10 a. m., 170 Tremont st.

BOSTON SCHOOL OF PIANO TUNING, during all week. Terms reasonable. Address 24 CUSTOMS HOUSE, POSITIONS—How to get them; $800 to $1,200 yearly; complete course, $5. Boston, and fee by NATL. CIR. INSTITUTE, 1 Beacon st., Room 1, Boston.

COMMISSION HOUSE—Want bright young man to learn grain business; some experience in selling goods preferred. Address, giving references, Box 1, Boston American.

CAPABLE SALESMAN to cover Mass. with staple line; commission basis; $1,000 monthly; also permanent position to right man. JESS. SMITH & SON, Utica, N. Y.

COLLECTOR wanted on debit in Quincy. Weymouth and Braintree; $15 weekly and commission. Call between 7 and 9 P. M., supt. Hancock Inn, Quincy.

CHANEY BOSTON PLUMBING SCHOOL—Attractive, practical course; day and evening; day and evening, and for catalogue. 124 Haverhill st.

DETECTIVES WANTED in railroads and express companies; good salaries; experience unnecessary; state age. Address, DETECTIVE, Box 955, Herald building, New York.

FIREMEN and brakemen on Massachusetts and railroads; experience unnecessary; $100 to $150 per month; state age. Address, R. R. BUREAU, Box 955, Herald building, New York.

GREEN, dry sand and loam molders and core makers wanted; steady work, good wages and good pay, guaranteed. Apply in person at ROBERTS & OAKMAN STOVE CO., Commercial st., Boston, Mass.

GOOD PAY to men everywhere to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing. CAVENDISH CO., Chicago.

HALL'S BARBER COLLEGE, 514 Washington st., Medford Square, teaches you all about the latest apparatus; experience unnecessary; good wages; tuition $25; call or write for free catalogue.

HARD RUBBER TURNER, man with some knowledge of mechanical work, 7 202 Boston American.

I WANT 25 HUSTLERS in North County to sell accident insurance; $1,000 weekly profit; no experience; write SUCCESS, 38, Framingham, Mass.

JEWS wanted to take our authentic Bible; 1,000 pages, 1,000 illustrations; the largest and most reliable work; 10 days' free trial; 10 cents a day; Monroe read, Quincy, Mass.

MEN wanted to canvass in Suffolk and Essex Counties to sell small article, large profits; permanent position; $25 weekly guaranteed. Address 20 Vernon st., Roxbury.

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MEN wanted to learn the barber trade; only 8 weeks required; position guaranteed; tuition reasonable; tools given; call or write for catalogue. MOLER BARBER COLLEGE, 48 Hanover st., Boston.

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RUBBER dress workers who are done that busi ness, get into business offering you opportunities in Boston. Address Box 1, Boston American.

SALESMEN to look after our trade; immediate positions; experience unnecessary; $75 monthly. NATIONAL NURSERIES, Rochester, N. Y.

SALESMEN wanted to sell to the retail trade; specialties; side line; no delivering; first-class workers only; first-class men. GEO. E. BROWN & CO., Lynn.

TWO SMART BOYS—BODGE SCREW CORP. Apply 10 Purchase st.

WANTED—For the U. S. Marine Corps, able-bodied unmarried men between the ages of 21 and 35, of good character, must speak, read and write English, and be citizens of the U. S. Apply at recruiting station, 4 Post-office sq., Boston, Mass., or 2 Post-office sq., Worcester, Mass.

WANTED—Four men to travel in each state, $21 per week and expenses guaranteed; position permanent; we refer you to this paper; references required; state age and occupation. REEVE CO., Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—Salesman with ability to earn $2,000 to $3,000 yearly; permanent position; apply at once to factory. CHRISTIAN MAU, terminus cars, Arlington, Mass. Take Arlington Heights car. MONUMENT CO., Dept. B, Detroit, Mich.

WANTED—Men to call on and sell our physicians' supplies; must be well dressed, sober and reliable; good salary or commission. Call or write for appointment. Room 1, Rooms 1 and 2, 53 State st.

WANTED—Six ladies or gents to sell the best 5c. cigar in the market; sample free; big profits; references required. WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., 306 Washington st., Boston.

WANTED—At the Warren Monumental Works, 20 Bowdoin st., Dorchester, a boy to learn the trade. NEILL'S HARRINGTON, Warren, R. I.

WANTED—Young man as salesman; must be thoroughly experienced man need apply; permanent position, good salary. 170 Tremont st., Boston.

WHEELWRIGHTS wanted on new and old work; steady employment. Apply to E. Emery & Co., Dorchester av.

YOUNG MAN—Boy to commence in office. HEY WOOD BROS. & WAKEFIELD CO., 174 Portland st., Boston.

WANTED—Jewish young man as collector, $8 per week to start. Call 10 Meridian st., E. Boston.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

A YOUNG MAN would like an opportunity to go to the Philippine Islands; will go for $1 and find two months. Address K. D. THOW BRIDGE, 27 Bowdoin st., Somerville, Mass.

A MIDDLE-AGED MAN would like steady work in a hotel; will accept $15 per week; can furnish good references. A. E. L., 7 Ball st., Roxbury.

BY AMERICAN married man, 31, general office work, shipping, correspondence, typewriting, patent handling correspondence and help, strictly temperate, reliable, industrious; $15 to start. Character, ability. C 34, Boston American.

BOY 16 years old would like work to get all kinds help; good pay for reliable help.

BOY 17 years old, good references, needs work. 173 Eliot st., city.

BOY, 17, desires general man, single, good driver, temperate and willing to work, four years in last place, good reference. 7 Ball st., Roxbury.

CHEF, all soups, meats, entrees, salads and pastry. 44 Lagrange st.

CHAUFFEUR desires position, gasoline or electric, reference. 7 Ball st., Roxbury.

HALL NURSE (trained) desires position as companion, attendant, city, country; traveling preferred; references. Address 7 Ball st., Roxbury.

MAN GIRDER COOK wants day or night work, 44 Lagrange st.

RESPECTABLE colored man wants situation as housman, caretaker or janitor, general work, cleaning windows, etc.; can furnish best of references. ALBIN ANDERSON, Centre st., Milton, Mass.

SCOTCH YOUNG MAN wants work of any kind; good reference. 7 Ball st., Roxbury.

SOBER young American man wants work of any kind; will go anywhere. 7 Ball st., Roxbury.

STEAM FITTER, 15 years' experience on all kinds watches and French clocks wants situation with reliable firm. Address 7 Ball st., Roxbury.

WATCHMAKER, 20 years' experience on all kinds watches and French clocks wants situation with reliable firm. Address 7 Ball st., Roxbury.

YOUNG MAN, 20, wants position; can furnish $50 bond. 7 Ball st., Roxbury.

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HELP WANTED—Female.

AT HOME—Young ladies with some experience in water color painting to work on Easter cards; good pay, steady work. 102 Washington st., room 50.

AT 1141, TREMONT ST.—Asst. Stock; South Irish housework girls, order, pastry cooks, asst. cooks, waitresses, kitchen girls, and general help.

A FIRST-CLASS chiffonier, permanent position to right party. CHETTEVILLE, 502 Boylston st.

A GOOD RELIABLE WOMAN wanted to work in a lodging house, 34 Causeway st., city.

DRESSMAKING AND MILLINERY TAUGHT; two girls wanted at once to learn dressmaking and millinery; positions guaranteed; no charge; evening, fitting, draping, making and finishing of dresses; also millinery; day and evening classes; every one learns everything from frame making to finishing; terms reasonable; call or write for illustrated school to Boston. MISS CHANDLER, 1 Boylston pl., Boston. Take elevator. Open evenings; day school, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

DRESSMAKER and operator who understands designing and fitting, with references. A 251, Boston American.

EXPERIENCED book folders for binders; come to the work. NOWLAN MAILING CO., 74 India st.

GIRLS over 16 years to enter training class at once; $4 per week; steady employment. 345 Tremont st., Boston.

GOOD strong girls to tie bookbinders' stitchers and cover machines. STANDARD PACKAGE CO., 1 Purchase st., cor. Pearl, Rowe's wharf.

GLOBE VOTES, Green, Gold, Mutual, Rose Globe Coupons, 5 cents per 100. 147 Tremont st.

GENERAL housework girl wanted. 18 Calder road, Jamaica Plain, take Franklin Field car.

GIRL 18 years to assist in care of two children and sew. 1 Fairfield st., suite 2, city.

HOUSEKEEPER wanted; lady under 30 small family; no washing. A 207, Boston American.

LADIES wanted to do sewing at home making bags; steady work; good wages; send stamped envelope. LENOX CO., Dept. 122, Boston.

MEN AND WOMEN, quick to learn, $12 to $18 per week; no canvassing; particulars, stamp. Resolve. GLOBE INSTITUTE, Minneapolis, Minn.

POLISH GIRL—Wanted, a girl to sew with machine on pillow cases. Apply to MRS. THANKER, Rooker block, Salem, Mass.

STEADY WORK for experienced hosiery loopers for us at home. $10 a week; machines furnished on easy terms. STANDARD KNITTING CO., Dept. 3, WOOLEN CO., 64 State, Detroit, Mich.

TAILORESS—Experienced dressy sewer, permanent positions for competent help. Apply to MISS IRVING & WASSON, First and Otis sts., East Cambridge.

WANTED—Reliable young girl for general housework in small family, wages $3; washing done out. Address 3 Bay View av., Revere, Mass. P. O. Box 312, Somersworth, N. H.

WANTED—Two girls for general work in a small boarding house in Dedham; must be good cooks. Apply at 1105 Washington st., Boston, or Monroe road, Quincy, Mass.

WANTED—Lady canvassers in Suffolk and Essex Counties to sell small article, large profits; permanent position; $25 weekly guaranteed. Address 20 Vernon st., Roxbury.

WANTED—Second girl at officers' quarters in Dedham; must be good cook; references required. Catholic. Address F 207 Boston American.

WANTED—Girls to work on gunmetals, machine and plain stitchers on gunmetals underwear. DANIEL FRANK CO., 36 Kingston st.

WANTED—An artist's model for several weeks' engagement; state description and price. A 205, Boston American.

WANTED—Experience to work with dressmaker, part while learning. 102 Belvidere st., suite 2.

WANTED—Girl to assist in care of two children and sew. 499 Blue Hill av., suite 1.

WILLING girl for general housework. 13 Hesketh st., Roxbury.

YOUNG LADY wanted as assistant bookkeeper in wholesale grocery business; applicant must have had some experience and be quick at figures. Address O 207, Boston American.

YOUNG LADY wanted as proof-reading, founder, press and rewing assistant; one in first-class book printing office; steady work. 201 Boylston st., room 1.

YOUNG GIRL; to sew buttons; also vest operator, R. L. SWIM'S VEST CO., 144 Hanover st., up 2 flights.

GLOBE VOTES.
TOBACCO TAGS, Green, O. K., Mutual Gold Coupons, 5 cents per 100. 147 Tremont st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Female.

A FINE LAUNDRESS would like laundry work by day; good, fine handkerchiefs, in or out town. 147 Tremont st., room 1.

A YOUNG Irish girl wishes work in a respectable family; good references. Address Bridget, 887-7 Roy.

COLORED WOMAN wants work Thursday and Saturdays. H. HILLS, 25 Arnold st., city.

CAPABLE Irish girl, second cook; laundress, $5 to $6. 1 Fairfield st., suite 2, city.

DAY'S WORK, in or out town, wanted; write or call. 34 Bay State road, Boston, Mass.

EXPERIENCED laundress wants washing to take home. 208 South Huntington av., Jamaica Plain.

LADY, some experience in real estate, wishes to learn the business; has some property and would be generally useful in real estate office. 1 Fairfield st., suite 2.

POSITION wanted by a capable and trustworthy woman as housekeeper; widower with children's family preferred; reference given. A 240, Boston American.

SWEDISH WOMAN wants cleaning, washing, by day or hour. A. R., 176 W. Springfield st., city.

STENOGRAPHER desires position; best of references. L 78, Boston American.

STRONG, WILLING young woman at home first-class work at low price, girl wants work after school hours. 1 Fairfield st., suite 2, Boston, Mass.

WANTED—By middle-aged lady, housekeeping for one or two persons in commonwealth home; good references. Address 7 Ball st., Roxbury.

WANTED—Day work, in or out of town; offer $1.50 per day. 1 Fairfield st., suite 2, Boston, Mass.

WANTED—Housekeeper's position in lodging or business house. MRS. BUTLER, 984 Harrison av., Boston.

WOMAN wants washing and cleaning, good references. 208 South Huntington av., Jamaica Plain.

WANTED housework, to or home nights. MRS. 1 Fairfield st., suite 2.

YOUNG widow will nurse or board refined invalid gentleman; good home. MRS. MARY KINGS, Chestnut Delivery, Worcester, Mass.

YOUNG WOMAN wants position as assistant bookkeeper; has some experience. Address H. McD., 29 Winslow st., Everett, Mass.

YOUNG WOMAN wants day's work in or out of town. Call or write to 81 Jay st., Mrs. M. E.

Where to Dine

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WHOLE WORLD OF SPORTS COVERED FOR THE BOSTON AMERICAN BY ITS CORPS OF EXPERTS

YOUNG CORBETT SAYS NELSON WILL WIN FROM M'GOVERN BY A KNOCKOUT IN LESS THAN FOUR ROUNDS

By Young Corbett.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—I have been asked repeatedly whom I like to win Wednesday night's fight in Philadelphia, and while I have hesitated in giving my opinion, I feel that, since I have fought both Terry and Nelson, and know their ability to the "T," that I owe the public my opinion. Battling Nelson will win this fight, and he will win it by a knockout in less than four rounds. I look for the Dane to guard carefully for the first three rounds, permitting Terry to fire away at him until tired. Then in the fourth round Nelson will open fire, and McGovern will fall. As I have said above, I have had the pleasure of meeting both of these boys in the ring. I met Terry twice, and each time I knocked him out. He was at his best then, and I had no great trouble in winning. Nelson and I fought two battles, and in each I went down, only to be counted out. I was at my best then. Terry came at me like a lion from his cage. He opened fire, and I must truly say his fists were everywhere. I had to watch his every move lest he would put over his famous sleep-producer. The first round was a fast one, and after the bell sounded ending that round I realized that I was in a fight. However, I had studied him carefully and planned a new style. I tried it, and it worked successfully. The bell sounded for the commencement of the second round. He rushed from his corner as though to finish me in a punch. I crouched and walked in. A shower of blows came at me, but I warded them off, and suddenly, yes, like a flash, I saw my chance and slipped it over. It caught Terry on the right spot and in the right time, and he went down to defeat. Two years later I met him again in this city. He was trained to the hour, and that I would meet defeat was the general belief. We battled hard for eleven rounds, when again I found the right spot at the right time. This proved conclusively that I was his master. I hope he is in great shape, for it would be criminal to send a broken-down man against a bull like the Dane. Regardless of what his condition is, when he steps into the ring Wednesday night he will meet his Waterloo.

FAST LOCAL MEN MEET TONIGHT.

Principal Bouts Carded This Week

TO-NIGHT.

Reese O'Brien vs. Chester Goodwin, Lincoln A. C., Chelsea.
Tommy Sullivan vs. Jack Clancy, Philadelphia.

TUESDAY.

Young Donahoe vs. Max Freeman, Taunton, R. I.

WEDNESDAY.

Terry McGovern vs. Battling Nelson, Philadelphia.
Jack Johnson vs. Joe Jeannette, Baltimore.

FRIDAY.

Mike [illegible] vs. [illegible], At[illegible]dia, Cal.

One of the [illegible] two popular boxers [illegible] night at the [illegible] Goodwin and [illegible] featherweight [illegible] land in a fifte[illegible]

The boys a[illegible] way that it [illegible] to pick a wi[illegible] and hard-fough[illegible] The pair have [illegible] tions for the [illegible] for the occasi[illegible]

Box

They are to [illegible] but there will be very little [illegible] weights. O'Brien [illegible] pounds when he enter[illegible] Goodwin is strongest at [illegible] O'Brien will bring about [illegible] population from South Boston [illegible] to get the verdict over Goodwin, pride of Chelsea.

Both boys are possessed of a lot of cleverness and know how to hit and have quantities of speed back of them.

Though local boys, they have never met in the ring, individually gaining good records for themselves, and this will be a decisive test between them to settle the best boys of the class.

Rouse Means Business.

There is not a more earnest fighter in the ring than Rouse, who has been refused a match repeatedly by Jimmy Walsh unless he made the fantasia limit. He is a tough boy to get away with and has to combat with the superior experience of Goodwin, who has been in the ring a longer period.

Goodwin has been doing his training stunts at the Tammany A. C., under the care of Jack Moore and D. J. McCarthy, and was never in better shape to go the distance.

There will be some well-matched preliminary boys at the same club Jerry Gaines to face the rex champ from Chelsea in Jim Smith.

The bout between Jack Johnson and Joe Jeannette, the slugging colored heavyweights, in Baltimore, Wednesday night, will be a warm affair. Johnson is so much more clever than Jeannette he should be a winner.

HOW "BAT" NELSON TRAINED FOR M'GOVERN BOUT

Nelson is enthusiastic over the new game of roko. This picture, taken especially for the BOSTON AMERICAN, shows the champion engaged in the sport in his training camp at Essington, Pa. In Nelson's opinion, roko is far superior to the punching bag for developing speed and hitting power.

Battler finishing his day's training with a little work on the river.

EX-CHAMPS TO HAVE LIGHT WORK TODAY

BY WILLIAM H. DOYLE.

Staff Correspondent of the Boston American with the Ex-champs.

MACON, Ga., March 12. It was a tired and travel stained bunch that Captain Collins of the Boston American baseball team led off the train at 7 o'clock this morning. They had been on the go steadily since they left Washington Saturday night and their first thoughts were of bed and rest in preparation for the training which is to begin today. Half an hour after the train reached Macon every one of the outfit was asleep.

With Collins were all of the rests and a few of the men who have been with him in other seasons. There were Glass, the young Dartmouth student; Marsh, the Pine Tree State giant; Kevin of Hoboken, who has stopped everything out in front of the plate; Winter, Joseph, those from Grimshaw, Hughes, Rising, Scoville and his, Peterson, Freeman and Trainer Dougherty.

Yesterday Stahl and Selbach came over from Hot Springs, Ashmeister from Cincinnati and Graham from the coast also were here.

Captain Collins's first inquiry was Stahl was as to the condition of Criger at Hot Springs. Stahl said that the catcher made encouraging progress within the last few days, and the report now is that it is only a question of a few days of waiting whether he can join the team. Mike Kelley is the latest day to his appearance he mind the last, to the opinion of the players in England, the critics seem, has now yet been heard from, and he is still a subject for speculation.

On the way down from the capital the team's special car was held for five hours at Charlotte, N. C., to wait for an Atlantic train which had been delayed by a connecting train from the north. The delay was a tedious one, and gave the players a fine opportunity to observe a town in which the ink had been screwed down to the last thread and hermetically sealed. Some of the players got up too late for breakfast on the train from Washington so were told that the dining car on the train to Macon would accommodate them. mostly. The few minutes which they were to wait grew into long hours, and at the lunch counter at the station had nothing that would tempt a raspberk hog they or [illegible] foraging expedition. It was unproductive for an hour. Then some one spied a little fruit store with its door open [illegible] was made for the orange pile, but the owner threw up his hands and exclaimed, "Sorry, gemmen, but if I sell you all one of them oranges it would cost me far." Neither a cigar nor a piece of chewing gum could be had at any price and it was a case of fast until the train came, five hours behind its schedule.

Much had more trouble than any other man on the trip. Early in the game he found that the Pullman Company had either not known or ignored his existence for no sleeping car berth is long enough to hold him in. Three times he all but spilled into the aisle as the train took the curves and he will pare for a lower berth hereafter.

On account of the weariness of the men Captain Collins will make today a practice very light. They will be given a couple of hours of throwing the ball, and the bats will not be taken to the training grounds. The swift work will come later in the week.

EDDIE HANLON, WHO HAS MET BOTH MEN

PICKS TERRY TO WIN

BY TAD.

NEW YORK, March 12. Eddie Hanlon, who has fought both McGovern and Nelson, picks the former to win, and tells his reasons why. Eddie fought McGovern at Philadelphia and lost in the fourth round after putting Terry flat on his back in the same round. He rushed in wildly and was hurried to a corner, when the referee stopped it. In San Francisco more than a year ago, Eddie beat to Nelson after nineteen rounds of hard going.

The referee also stopped the fight as Hanlon was helpless. Abe Attell, the featherweight champion, who has met Nelson, thinks the Dane will win over Terry next week in their fight. Abe never met McGovern, but was matched with him and has seen him in many a fight. He told me before the Battling Nelson-Gus Gardner fight that Terry would win easily and it came out so. This time he says Terry has the chance.

Hanlon says:

"Battling Nelson goes on Terry to beat the man from Denmark. I don't take this fight for a minute, as either Nelson is almost afraid to say who will win or be knocked out, I rather favor him to win. I shoulder all things. McGovern should give Nelson an awful fight for a few rounds, and if his recent illness has left me badly off, he ought to win."

Attell says: "I like Terry much better than I do the Dane, but as for the present McGovern is not strong enough for this fellow, and I think he's going to get walked it no hard. Nelson will have to put all the time and McGovern will never get a start.

"They say that Terry is a mere rusher. Well, he never rushes the way Nelson does. He might be a harder hitter, but I'll tell you that the boxerless won't bother this fellow at all.

"My own will go on Nelson, but I won't bet on a knockout."

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HOT FIGHT IN CANDLEPINS

The candlepin followers are closely watching the progress of the two man tournament on at Murray's bowling and billiard alleys, which began last Friday evening. O'Brien and Clark are in the lead, with a total of 1242; Goodwin and Rose, 740; Smith and Cressy, 728; Green and Sullivan, 709, and they are the leading teams so far.

FIGHT RETURNS AT MURRAY'S

There will be a direct wire from the ringside of the McGovern-Nelson battle at Mike Murray's bowling and billiard emporium on Washington street, and the sporting fans whose all the local sports will gather to get the first news of the progress of the great contest.

MANY QUAKERS SEE NELSON TRAIN FOR BOUT WITH TERRY

PHILADELPHIA, March 12.—The greatest crowd that ever saw a pugilist in training in or about Philadelphia went down to Essington to view the work of Battling Nelson, who is at Rosedale Inn, preparing for his battle with Terry McGovern next Wednesday night at the National A. C. Every train that pulled out of the city during the morning was crowded with men and boys anxious to see a real champion in training. This city, however, did not furnish all the crowd, for there were several good-sized parties from New York, who came over to get a view of the conqueror of Young Corbett and Jimmy Britt.

To their great disappointment, however, Nelson did very little real hard work. Until Wednesday afternoon his programme will be radically different from what it was last week. He is now under weight and tough as nails. From this time on his chief concern will be to develop his speed and accuracy, for he will need all he possesses of these to overcome the whirlwind McGovern in six rounds.

The crowd that went to Essington today made itself at home in a hurry. Nelson, in obedience to orders from his manager, Billy Nolan, stayed out of doors all the time and chatted with his friends and training partners. When it came time for Nelson to go into the ring for his work with sparring partners, who cleverest him the champion put the ring. Some of the more enthusiastic ones insisted on having him box enough to make hands. This sort of a reception was required. Nearly a mile and even then two men on wheels followed the little fighter for the rest of his eight miles. One of them insisted that he be allowed to run after Nelson until he got tired.

"How do you feel about the fight now?" Nelson was asked when he returned from the eight mile run.

"Well, replied the little champion, "I feel pretty good now. I'll be glad when I get through with this training. I have not been feeling right since I started work here, and have been able to do only a little to develop my speed. I work and boxing. I am not exaggerating when I say that I am 90 per cent fit, in fact, all Chronic and Associate Advisement of men.

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Next Saturday Fred Tenney and his men will start for Jacksonville and then the fans can learn how the Hub Nationals are working.

Are you still in the race for one of those season books offered by the SUNDAY AMERICAN for the best suggestions of a lineup for the opening games of the six Champs and Tenney's men? There were hundreds added this morning to the bunch already in the office. Don't forget that you can send in as many suggestions as you wish. Perhaps if one is not good another will be. Get at your baseball dope and send it your way soon.

Remember you can make as many suggestions as you wish. Remember that the best six for each park will receive a season ticket worth over fifty dollars, good for all games at that park and a seat in the grand stand. Twelve books in all will be given away.

Remember that it is not a question of luck, but one of careful study and memory of the men who are to play with each team. Follow these points and make out your lists. It may be YOU who will see the games free all next season.

M'GOVERN IS DOWN TO WEIGHT

Special to the Boston American.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Judging from the crowd that wended their way up to Terry McGovern's training quarters it looked as if every man with any sporting blood coursing through his veins had the same thought in his mind, and that was to see the "Brooklyn Terror" before he left for the city for his fight with Nelson next Wednesday night. From early morn till night the steady stream of pedestrians, owners of automobiles, carriages and trolley riders stopping at Johnson's roadhouse, where Terry is preparing for the fight.

They came from all parts of the city and vicinity, and eventually forced their way into the house. Terry is used to public exhibitions, but the extent of the crowd was too much for him, and he did his best to get out of the way. Every other minute some one of the visitors would walk in on the sanctum of the champion, and the following conversation would take place:

"Say, Terry, is Terry around? I am one of his particular friends, and have come all the way from Harlem to see him."

Had to Give Countersign.

Joe Humphries, McGovern's manager, was always near the door, and if he did not give the sign the caller was not admitted. This generally had the effect of making the visitor still more inquisitive, and he would plead for a glimpse of the Terrible. All the curious that wanted to see Terry during the day would have filled Madison Square Garden.

Terry's particular friends who passed the portals were in such large numbers that they overcrowded the hall in which he does all of his sparring. The consequence of all of his sparring. The consequence of this was that Terry had to give up all idea of doing any work inside, and, instead, to try a little road work. Terry got ready and started to go out. Immediately there was such a crowd surrounding him that he very quickly ducked back again.

"By gosh," said Terry to Maxlord, his trainer, "I cannot get out through that mob. Why, by the time that I get to the road I will be rid of five pounds."

After a few minutes Terry got up courage to try again, only this time he decided to slip out the back way. Terry and Maxlord started, but they had not got out of the back yard before they were spotted by an eagle-eyed porch warmer.

After Terry had plunged into his bath and had a rub down he stepped on the scales and tipped the beam at 132 pounds, one pound below the necessary weight. He will keep on doing light work for the next two days, but at the same time his trainers will keep a sharp eye on him to see that he does not overwork.

Terry has rounded into his old form, and says that he never felt better in his life. He has perfect confidence in himself and can figure nothing but a victory.

DO YOU WANT TO SEE THE BALL GAMES FREE? SEE BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN

Boston American Daily Home Magazine

TOQUES AND SAILORS ARE THE CRAZE FOR SPRING

Fashion Will Demand These Two Popular Shapes for the Next Three Months

THESE two hats represent the latest and favorite modes of the moment.

The small, large-crowned sailor with the generous trimming, and the medium close-fitting little toque are the two styles of hats to be most worn this Spring and Summer.

The toque is formed of twisted bands of straw and ribbon in black and white, and trimmed at either side with gracefully shaped wings in this same striking contrast of colors. Two large jet pins in the shape of balls hold the wings in place, and bows of black velvet tip the hat well off the head at the back.

The brim of the sailor hat is formed of shirred net and bands of velvet in the brightest shade of parrot green so fashionable just now. The rosette at the side is of loops of gold ribbon, and from it droop gracefully bird of paradise plumes and gold-colored ospreys. Underneath the brim is a thick ruching of tulle. Around the crown is a tight band of gold-embroidered ribbon.

THE SAILOR MUST BE WELL TRIMMED

THE TOQUE SHOULD BE ...

Here's a New and Puzzling Problem for You to Answer

Daily Cash Prize for the Best Answer

By Beatrice Fairfax

THE new problem which I promised to present to you to-day will be found on this page. A score of correspondents have written to me suggesting this question.

Girls, give the young men readers of this column your ideas. Point out to them their duty in such a situation as you see fit. Duty is recognized by all as a stern master.

Does duty require that the young man, having made his choice, and having been accepted in good faith, upon finding that he no longer loves his fiancee, ask to be released from his obligations?

And you, young man: I want your letters, too. Do you feel that it is fair, after asking a girl to wed, to withdraw from your "contract" under any circumstances?

A daily award of $2 will be made for the best letter. Address Problem Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, Nos. 80-82 Summer street, Boston.

These letters, in reply to the problem of a wife's extravagance, are from to-day's mail:

TWO REASONS

PRIZE EDITOR:

Yes. For two reasons a wife is fully justified in muddling her husband's example of extravagance, if, as you state, she cannot induce her "worse half" to cut his expenditures or to help her save.

1. A wife under these circumstances will hardly be content with petty economies. She will be tempted to try to make good her husband's wastefulness, and so require a mania for saving, and lose the very "joy of living" by cheating herself out of everything not necessary to wife would not do so, even if she felt she had the right to be as extravagant as he.

Mrs. J. GREENLAW.

No. 44 Charpentier avenue, Pawtucket, R. I.

RULE BY LOVE

PRIZE EDITOR:

I believe a conscientious wife will not be extravagant because her husband is, but that she will try and reason with him, and in due season I certainly believe, if a wife does her part, it won't be long before the husband will be responsible in saving at least a little with her.

MRS. G. FRANCIS.

No. 711 Washington street, East Weymouth.

BE DISCREET

PRIZE EDITOR:

I think a wife who is unable to stop the extravagant expenditures of her husband should be just as discreet in her expenditures as he is extravagant. Then will we not a spendthrift. Certainly she would not be justified in using what circumstances as wrong for her husband to do.

Hollston. MRS. A. L. CARPENTER.

EQUAL RIGHTS

PRIZE EDITOR:

This discussion can be very easily settled. If a husband thinks he is entitled to spend money for himself, his wife has the same right, and should attend to the spending money. Then let the wife buy things to make the home beautiful, and I think before long he will realize his position.

ELSIE McCARR.

No. 33 Oak street, Westerly, R. I.

Cash Prize Each Day for the Best Answer to This Question:

Should an Engaged Young Man Refuse to Marry the Girl If He Finds He No Longer Loves Her?

ANOTHER SIDE

PRIZE EDITOR:

Another side to question. If a man is bound to be extravagant, after her advising him, she might as well enjoy it with him or he might find some one else to; and that has broken up many a home.

MRS. WILLIAM M. LEGG.

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WOULD SUFFER

PRIZE EDITOR:

If the average workingman's wife spends as much money on her pleasures as her extravagant husband her home and her children would be neglected. A prudent

Saturday's Prize Winner

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Three Qualities in Men That Women Ought to Demand

By Beatrice Fairfax

JUNGE heard a wise woman give a young girl the following piece of advice: "Do not waste your time on a lazy man or one who cannot keep a job."

That was excellent advice, girls, and every one of you would do well to bear it in mind.

You have all seen women whose lives were ruined by being tied to lazy, shiftless husbands.

You have seen the misery of homes where the head of the house was a good for nothing, who could not be relied on to provide the barest necessities.

And you have also seen the home where there was extravagance where the father worked, poverty when he didn't.

The woman married to a man of that kind never knows where she stands; her nerves are constantly on the rack.

She knows that no matter how good her husband's job may be he will lose it through recklessness or flagrant disregard of duty.

So you see, girls, it is of the utmost importance to your future happiness that you do not throw yourselves away on men of either of these types.

Every man, whether he be rich or poor, should have some work to do.

The idle man is of no use to anybody, he might just as well not exist, as far as his usefulness goes; in fact, it would be better if he did not, as his example is a menace to other men. You know the proverb that tells us to "Find some occupation for idle hands to do."

The ordinary, every-day, lazy man that we come in contact with has no money back his laziness.

When he marries his wife has to support him.

He probably makes love very well or he wouldn't be, he has nothing else to do.

Keep away from him girls, no matter how cajoling his tale of love may be. There are better things in life for you than marriage to a shiftless, good-for-nothing man.

If you are friends with a man and he tells you that he never can keep a position, and that it is all the fault of his employers, just look into it carefully and find out how things really stand before you accept his attentions.

The fact of a man wanting to spend all his money on you is no sign that he will make a good husband.

It would be far better if he saved his money with a view toward hastening the day when he might ask you to share his fortunes.

The important qualities to look for in a man are sobriety, industry and gentlemanliness.

The man who has all three is sure to make a good husband.

Don't waste your time on men who lack them, for no woman will be happy with a man lacking any one of the three.

Where Homely Girls Have the Advantage

A SHOWMAN in Milan, who had more than once organized successful beauty shows, recently struck out on a new line by arranging what might be styled an "ugly" wherein a number of women and girls competed for three prizes which were offered for the three ugliest competitors.

And, strange to say, the show was a decided success, which goes to prove that, contrary to common belief, there are some people confidently ugly to be conscious of their defect.

German Philanthropy

In the German town of Haschmann it is an annual custom to award cash prizes to the ugliest girl of the year, also to the most crippled, and to a woman of more than forty summers who had at least two lovers at different times, but lost them.

These prizes are provided by the interest derived from a sum of money left by a wealthy Haschmann philanthropist, and are really intended to encourage local men to marry the ugly, the crippled and the jilted; but in this country they do not appear to be effective, though the prize to the ugliest girl generally amounts to about £15 and that of the cripple to some £10, she usually falls to the woman of blighted affection.

The Very Ugliest

An enterprising American shopkeeper some time ago fell upon a very novel method of advertising some toilet preparations he had placed upon the market. He dressed his window very attractively, and on a small table in the centre laid a bet, the of each of his toilet preparations and a row of the bottles in front, with the announcement that both cash and stuff would be awarded to the ugliest woman under thirty who would make claim to them personally at the shop within four days.

During the next two days more than two hundred women visited the shop, and the great majority of them brought something in evidence of the claim with confidence that they could not possibly hope to win the prize—not because they were beyond the age limit, for they obviously were not, etc.

During the second week nearly 2,000 young women claimed the prize, and the business in the beauty ungents boomed amazingly. In the end the award was made to a servant girl, who demonstrated her indifference to the reflection cast on her personal appearance by pocketing the dollars and rejecting the toilet preparations.

THE HIDDEN MARRIAGE

Sidney Warwick's Great Story of Present Day Life

CHAPTER XLIII.—Continued.

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MRIAM had asked her sister to invite Della, thinking that Della's presence would help to amuse him; this Mrs. March had done, though she had never liked her brother's protege or approved of what she called "that mad expedition."

Now, however, Mordaunt finding an unexpected attraction in Miss Thorpe's society, rather regretted that he had suggested Della's coming; Della was rather in the way.

"You think Miss Thorpe likes you," went on Della with passionate eyes. "If you really want to know the truth, she hates you—oh, it is true!"

"You can trust any woman's eyes and intuition. Whatever her reasons may be for pretending to like your society, she hates you really, you know, because I've caught her looking at you more than once when she thought no one was noticing, and there was no friendliness in her eyes—though, of course, your vanity would let you believe it."

Mordaunt laughed sceptically. Della was suffering sadly from jealousy—and how like a jealous woman to launch such a wild assertion! So far from Olive Thorpe hating him, as Della would have him believe, he felt convinced of having found a good deal of pleasure in his society.

If a young college girl she was, this Californian, only lately arrived in the East, as he was, there was rather a bitter, mocking tongue on occasion, perhaps, but then he met but few stupid, colorless girls, and Olive Thorpe was certainly not that—so men his brief acquaintance with her had told him.

Drinking Again

Mordaunt was not looking well. The hospital people had warned him how careful he must be about his health; his eyes needed months of careful, quiet living to gradually build up their strength again. Above everything, he was not to drink except most sparingly, and Mordaunt was disregarding their warning. Since leaving the hospital he had been drinking steadily; the man was drinking to still the outcry of his nerves; his mind was the prey of ever-shadowing fears.

He was expecting a visit from the so-called clairvoyants—the message left at the hospital by "Monsieur Nemo" had warned him. These people knew him to be Paul Carew; evidently they had meditated blackmail.

He had instructed a private detective to find out who these people were behind their stage names; he was expecting the report every hour. This detective, moreover, had kept Rensius Mordaunt in a state of nervous suspense; and if he had not all Olive Graham, the girl he had defrauded, had in some way got hold of the judge's letter—was, if Theodi's statements were to be believed, the only person who could help him in the hands of a solicitor. He would have to satisfy her demands, otherwise, armed with the evidence of that letter, she might make things very awkward. Mordaunt shrank from the thought of fighting the case in court; he had men had reason to be anxious to keep clear of such publicity just now.

Della, too, he was awfully worried and out of sorts, said Della. "And I wish you'd tell me what you know how mad I am for you just now with your eyes still so weak," she added, trying to check him, as he poured out some remedy from the decanter. "I would die for you, I would love to be out of doors on such a day as this. Won't you take me?"

"Nonsense; this air won't hurt me," he said irritably, pushing away her restraining hand with an impatient gesture.

Della's Secret

"And I can't come out; I'm expecting Theodi and—and a young person on a matter of business," he added, as she looked at him questioningly. "I'll tell you some other time. Why should you think I'm worried?" he added quickly.

"You have only to see your manner tells me; you're not a bit like yourself, Renny; you're nervous and excitable; you start every time you hear a knock; you're afraid of something, Renny," she added suddenly, leaning her head gently on him. "I know something is troubling you. But what if I could relieve a load from your mind?"

Something in her earnestness of manner made him look at her closely.

"Della, what do you mean?"

"Renny, said Della, "I didn't want to speak, and you are worrying so that I must; Renny, tell me, is not your chief anxiety about something you told someone on the telephone on the night of the fire?"

He started, and looked quickly, closely, into her face.

"But—but it couldn't be!"—he muttered hoarsely to himself, as a sudden light seemed to flash upon him.

She caught the words.

"It could be," she whispered feverishly. "Renny, I tried to prevent your worrying about it, because I knew how much a telegram—do you remember, I read it to you myself. I disliked it but before I came to see you—saying that the person who got your telephoned message would keep it a secret. I thought that would stop your worrying. You see, Renny, I don't speak. Can't you understand? I'm not all—Olive Thorpe you spoke on the telephone that night!"

Great Surprise

For a moment's space he stared at her in silence; though his lips moved he could not utter any articulate words.

"Don't think I judge you, Renny" went on the girl; "what is done is done; it was a mistake, and in my thoughts of you, Renny—"

Still he did not speak. He sat with averted eyes, as if trying to hammer out all that this amazing thing meant.

"Renny, I implore you to look at me," she went on. "I went to Bob Durham's house, and I locked my self in the back room in upper window unfastened, not so far from the ground that I could not climb in. And I hadn't been in the house ten minutes when the telephone bell rang. I thought it would be fun to pretend to be Durham, and then I heard your words. I was almost mad with horror and fear for you. I rushed out and jumped into the first cab and drove to your rooms. You were just being taken to the hospital. I didn't want you to drop in, Renny. I thought it might save you if you shrink from me—but I wanted to calm your fears, too. And to send that stony means telegram was my only way of letting you know you had nothing to fear. You have nothing to fear, Renny."

After a little while he said in an odd, strained voice, not looking at her:

A Girl's Heart

"You spoke in that telegram of a payment you would some day ask for keeping silent."

Her color deepened; then she broke out passionately:

"Don't you know, Renny, that I love you? That I would do anything in the world for you? Whatever you have done it is nothing to me; good and evil are empty phrases with which my love has nothing to do! I don't order my love by those standards. When you rescued me years ago from the streets you made me yours in every way, body and soul—body and soul, Renny, to do with as you would."

"You love me, Della?" he echoed, amazed at the sudden intensity of passion in her voice.

"Ever since that day," she whispered, "I love you, knowing the worst of you—would she do you think? And after—after a gleam of jealousy in her voice, as she pointed suddenly through the window; "disguised she knew as Olive Thorpe she glorified in knowing you were there, was slowly crossing the lawn.

"You're the only woman in the world who would have done this for me," he said, trying to infuse a tenderness into his voice, but his eyes followed Olive.

But in his heart Mordaunt knew that he never would care; he was grateful to Della, of course; but as for the girl, her eyes intently asked—love, marriage? The thought was impossible. He lifted Della; she was good fun; but marry her? No.

But he must temporize with her. He knew her jealous nature; if her jealousy were aroused she might in passion reveal all she knew.

"You are your worries gone, Renny? You have nothing to fear now—"

"If I only had nothing to fear," he said fretfully.

TO BE CONTINUED.

WAYS TO FINISH OFF EMBROIDERIES

AN objection often made to silks on washing embroidered materials is founded upon the belief that they will not bear the washing well. This is quite a mistake, although there is no doubt that much depends upon the manner in which the washing is done and upon the quality of the silks.

If these are good, they will not be injured by careful washing—needless they should be rinsed, not wrung, and, if possible, dry pinned out flat and straight upon a board until there be any doubt about being the colors will not run. By the former method the work is washed in a lather made by boiling water with a little soap.

For finishing off a piece of embroidery the amateur is apt to overdo the use of the flatiron. Should the work by any chance be not quite at all drawn and puckered in the making, this will be remedied by the amount of ironing, the only result being the injury to the colors and the flattening of the stitches.

The best way of finishing off good embroidery, provided that the material will allow of this method of treatment, is to damp it evenly on the wrong side with a sponge dipped in cold water, and then to pin it out quite straight and smooth upon a large board covered with flannel. Here it should be allowed to remain until it is perfectly dry, when, if it has been properly carried out, the work should be quite flat and free from wrinkles.

Certain kinds of embroidery are improved by being thinly smeared on the wrong side with paste; this is always necessary in the case of work that has to be cut out and applied to other materials, as it will then be much kinder the cut edges from unravelling and prevent the work from curling when it is laid upon the second material.

SOME NEW IDEAS IN NECKWEAR

TO wear with the tailored blouses are trim linen stocks. The stock which does not need planting in front is more attractive than that which must be pinned, even though the prettiest of pins be enlisted for the service.

Blouse and shirt makers have exercised more ingenuity in designing to wear with the new tailored blouses. Linen stocks with one end slipping through the other in the back and brought round to button or tie in front.

There is, however a limit to such peculiarities, and some of the prettiest fads front effects demand the pinned backs.

Silk stocks may be fastened by hooks and loops, which simplifies the problem, but even so the stock must be pinned tightly down to the collar band.

Small lap tabs with a buttonhole in the end can put inside the tailored stocks at the back, and are buttoned to a collar button, so holding the stock in place, but many women complain that a collar button hurts and marks the neck, and that the stock slips and goes askew despite the tape, so an ornamental pin is perhaps the safest and least obnoxious expedient.

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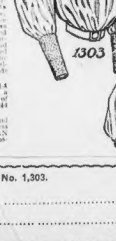

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I WOULD advise you to have a thorough understanding with her, and tell her that if she objects to your going with other girls you also object to her going with other men. Make her see that as things now stand it is an unfair arrangement. I would not advise you to marry until you are both quite sure of yourselves.

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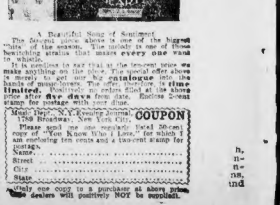

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Boys Lost in Mixed Marriages.

"Parents are bound by the law of nature to secure the welfare of their offspring. ...o a Catholic the gift of faith is the ...ource of every happiness, for time and eternity. The children of a mixed marriage are in manifest danger of losing the infinite ...aith and becoming perverts. The loss is ...ften appallingly great, and the chief culprits is the cause of it.

"According to a recent statistical study of the religious conditions prevailing among ...American young men between the ages of ...sixteen and thirty-five, the following facts ...have been published, proving the loss of ...Catholics as the result of mixed marriages:

"Where the father and mother are both ...Catholic, eighty per cent. of the young men ...are not church members. But where one ...of the parents is a Catholic and the other a Protestant, sixty-five per cent. of the young men do not belong to a church."—(Review of Reviews, December, 1904.)

"It is, then, no appalling fact that in the majority of mixed marriages the children are lost to the Christian faith? There is especially true when the Catholic party fails to train the children as they should. The non-Catholic party rarely insists that the children be brought up in the Catholic faith.

Against Divine Law.

"Mixed marriages are against the divine law, forbidden in the Old and New Testament. They brought on universal corruption and moved the just and holy God to send the flood to cleanse it. (Gen. ...)

"There is a spiritual deformity in a mixed marriage. The real thought nowadays seems to be that the Catholic Church, to which Christian marriage is a type (Ephesians), looks on mixed marriages. Such people, as St. Augustine observes, have good at home but it comes from the spouse of Christ; they cannot have in common the Head of the Church, great the triumph, and great the pity of it. As St. Paul exhorts a christian to marry only in the Lord (1 Cor. vii.), so he forbids ...e with unbelievers.

"In every church has the blessing for a mixed possible by the gates of the sacred edifice a fence against her consecrated holy ...t goes of in silence of the sad events by ...ercast church, sometimes the priest ...weighs sacerdotal garb, hoping against ...hope and praying that the non-Catholic party may find his way on some future day into the true fold of the church.

"No bishop of the Church can and will grant such a dispensation in his own name and power. The vicar of Christ alone can delegate the bishop to dispense for grave and urgent reasons. Such a dispensation is not issued unless the non-Catholic party swears and subscribes to a promise of not interfering with his free future consent in the exercise of the Roman Catholic religion, and to allow the children to be baptized and educated in the Roman Catholic faith. Many a shrewd lawyer balks at these conditions and refuses to accept them. What shall those do? Shall they plunge without the least information or keeping their privileges? This is hard thing for priests' consumption and apparently submit to ruin.

Should Be Charitable.

"If the duty of Catholics, priests and people, to be frank and charitable toward their non-Catholic fellow-citizens, and to tell them that marrying a Catholic generally means a life of misery for them. Protestant ministers should denounce from their pulpits the sin of disobedience to the ...immutable conviction, still the sad problem of an offspring lost to all constraints and of a life of shrewd shoals of misery thus to prevent people from taking the informative step.

"It would be useless to deny that certain mixed marriages have led to fairly ...ible results, even to the conversion of the non-Catholic party. Children of such marriages have been raised as model Catholics and have become pride of the church. The non-Catholic has kept his promise faithfully, and has ever encouraged the Catholic practices of the children in a Catholic school. Divine Providence has watched over a few such marriages that were apparently forced on by inevitable circumstances, and the mercy of God gave special graces for the preservation of faith. They are the exceptions ...

Will a sensible man take the exception as his rule of conduct?

"Suppose your friend was forced to jump from a four-story building and escaped unhurt, can you hope to do the same without breaking your neck? The church, with an experience of nineteen centuries, tells you there is great danger in mixed marriages, and will you maintain there is none? 'But the non-Catholic is not against the church,' he goes in no church.' So much the worse, if he be indifferent. The most logical Protestant is preferable to the polished and tolerant unbeliever; there is some Christianity in the former, while the latter is dead to all supernatural life.

Save the Children.

"I appeal to you, dear priests and ...laborers, to keep a special eye on all persons in your spiritual charge who have contracted mixed marriages, to save the ...children and to secure the conversion of the non-Catholic party to prayer and charity. I beseech you, shepherds of souls, to prevent such unhallowed alliances in the future by dispelling the pernicious fancies and covering the hideous lessness of our young Catholic people by opening their eyes to dangerous assaults ...and forbidden connections, by ...strengthening their faith with the solid food of Christian doctrine, and by purifying their hearts with the saving waters of divine grace.

"If, may God prevent, any of our flock should be so unmindful of their high prerogatives as to seek the services of a Protestant minister or civil magistrate to tie the nuptial knot, let such unfortunate people know the depth and enormity of their crime from which the bishop alone can absolve them. Should they die in their sin ...the rites of Christian burial will be refused them. If God grants them time and the ...grace of repentance, they must undergo a public reparation of the scandal given according to the form prescribed by the Canon statute (No. 1071) before they are admitted to the communion of the holy church.

"Let Protestant ministers and all who are authorized to solemnize marriage in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts remember that no respectable Catholic will apply to them for marriage, that no Catholic priest in the world is allowed or refuses his services to poor people who cannot make the usual offering, that if a Catholic should ...the priestly ministry to enter marriage it is to keep from free personal and spiritual misery, and that those who help them to legalize their marriage outside of the Catholic church co-operate in a deed which ...is true Catholics regard with horror and indignation.

Look to Riches of Saul.

"In the selection of a partner for life, a Catholic should look to the virtue and riches of soul rather than to wealth and ...social distinction. Money, and other earthly possessions are most uncertain, while faith, virtue, beauty and grace the scripture says:

"Favor is deceitful and beauty is vain, but the woman that feareth the Lord shall be praised. (Prov. xxxi., 30.)

"A virtuous woman is the crown of a virtuous man for the sole reason that she is a virtuous woman. Experience ...shows that her love for pleasure and dress is not the ruin of her husband, but a blessed ...help. Even if she cannot carry with her that inclines toward her with its wealth of affection and sweetness. Never form the acquaintance of a person, with a view to anything, which you cannot marry without a dispensation from the wise laws of holy church.

"Loyal children of the church will never think of a marriage with a near relative, such as a cousin, a brother-in-law or sister-in-law, or with a non-Catholic; they will quickly suppress any unlawful appetite for such forbidden fruit. The sake ...

Malnutrition Is the Cause of Many Ills.

Malnutrition is the cause of a very large percentage of human ills. Nearly all so-called "run down" persons are the victims of malnutrition. The food doesn't assimilate properly. The acids and gastric juices are "out of sorts" and the stomach fails to extract the blood and nervous forces necessary to the maintenance of the nervous and circulatory systems. Anaemia sets in and the sufferer becomes "blood less." That is, the blood lacks those rich, red corpuscles which are the carmarks of a well-fed body. In such cases Dr. Martel's Female Mail Pills kick, taken consistently, will greatly aid the stomach to make proper nourishing food and thus help the nervous and circulatory action. You will find the anaemic condition giving way to one of vigor, because the food will make blood that is rich with the red corpuscles. You see this malt is absolutely pure, aged only by time, and it is the only female remedy that it agrees most readily with all stomachic conditions, whether weak or strong. The way to know the genuine is to see that it is sealed in full quarts, and that the neck and face labels bear the facsimile of the signature of Dr. Martel H. Graves & Sons, proprietors. You can find it at licensed dealers, druggists and grocers generally.

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A warning against the accumulation of wealth for wealth's sake was given the 10,000 men that crowded into the cathedral of the Holy Cross last night at the opening of the Paulist Fathers mission for men.

The Rev. Fr. Peter J. O'Callaghan of Chicago, one of the most eloquent of the priests conducting the mission, preached a sermon that went to the hearts of every one of the men that completely filled the big auditorium.

"We have assembled our souls' best efforts in the seeking for place," declared the Paulist. "We have turned ourselves to our God-like beings, into ardisans. There is the man who devotes himself to amassing wealth. I am not speaking of the person who, after something for a rainy day, but of the avaricious man who forgets his God, who forgets everything that he can get wealth. What has that man to live for? When he comes to the end of his wasted life he cannot take his riches with him. What can you say about the accumulation of riches for riches' sake."

A more auspicious opening of the mission could not have been desired, and Fr. O'Callaghan preceded his sermon with the remarks:

"It is a splendid manifestation of the power of Jesus Christ in the Twentieth Century.

The Rev. Fr. Doyle conducted the opening exercises, and the vast auditorium echoed with the responses to the Litany of the Saints. Briefly he outlined the programme of the mission fathers, which he stated will be made up each night of instructions, answers to questions that may be placed in the box provided for that purpose, the recitation of the rosary, a sermon, and will conclude with benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Grant Indulgences.

Two masses will be said each morning, one at 5 and the other at 8 o'clock. Two indulgences may be gained, one by attending the exercises nightly and approaching the sacraments, and one by being present next Sunday night, when the bishop is due to receive the papal blessing.

A partial indulgence may also be gained for every service attended.

Father Doyle addressed the gathering in the basement.

Father O'Callaghan took his text from Isaiah lv., 22:

"There are foolish and senseless children; they ate wise through evil, but through good they have no knowledge."

"Let us understand that no man ever lived who taught such doctrines as Christ taught.

"If in these doctrines that we preach it is our effort for the sake of you sober men, honest men, to make of you more and decent men. If the old precept, 'Judas, serve here tonight he would address you as he addressed the ancients: 'They are wise through evil, but through good they have no knowledge.'

"We have absorbed our son's best efforts in the seeking for place. We have turned our noble selves, our God-like beings, into animalism. Let us this night ask ourselves if we have given over ourselves paganism, and the seat of it will be found in the sensuality of the day."

The Avaricious Man.

"There is the man who devotes himself to amassing wealth. I am not speaking of the prudent man, who lays by something for a rainy day, but of the avaricious man who forgets his God, who forgets everything that he can get wealth. He gets it honestly if he can, simply because it is safer, but he gets it. What has that man to live for? Is there sufficient in it to justify the devotion of a lifetime?

"Is there anything in his being that inspires for something other than what man has assigned to him? If there is, that man has wasted his life, and when he comes to die he will find that he has failed to play his part in the little narrow world that he has lived in. He has failed in the part in the little narrow world that he has lived and died for, just as well have never lived.

"The greatest fool in the man who seeks for place is like the imbibe with which the child plays—beautiful for the time to look upon, but of no substance. How proud was of the great politicians in New York who could say to me on his deathbed: 'I have never spent a dishonest dollar.' But how many are there who could have said the same thing.

"It would be a great thing for us if we knew the great truth of the teachings of Christ. We say we do, but there is no one of us who has not proceeded in his life to show that it is impossible to serve both God and man, or that it is better to serve man and let God alone. There is not one of us who has not proceeded in his life in after pleasure. We have thought that by not obeying the law of God we could get more out of life, that God would keep from us some of the happiness of life.

"I feel that it is just as well to say to men who are about to believe that the wages of sin is death. 'Don't take my word for it, but go find out yourself. If you do not believe it, drink to the dregs and you will learn.'

"If you don't believe that 'the wages of sin is death,' then try it. I have looked into hundreds of thousands of human hearts in the confessional. I have read their life history. The priest knows things that the world knows nothing of. He knows the human heart as no one else. He knows it, he has heard confessions of ten, twenty, thirty, or even fifty years of sin. And I have yet to meet one man who has lived a life of sin who is glad of it, but they have protested that they would give their very lives to lead a different life.

"So, if any man questions the value of sin, let him try it, himself. It is the only logical conclusion. But first let him write down the challenge that he would utter, for he years to come his mind would not be able to remember it. Then, when he places a pistol to his head, he has lived logically.

You Cannot Die.

"If you could put a pistol to your head and end it all, you might try and there would not be such a desperate risk. But the sad tragedy of all is that you cannot die. If we could only die we might dare to defy our God with impunity, but the horror of it is that we cannot die.

"The same law that makes Heaven a possibility makes Hell a logical alternative. We have before us an eternity of happiness or an eternity of woe, and it is our daily privilege and opportunity to make choice between these two."

If You Doubt that "Wages of Sin Is Death," Try It, Says Paulist

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FIGHTS LABEL ON BALLOTS

WHITMAN, March 12.—Opposing that the union label on the backs of ballots is an illegal advertisement, Benjamin S. Atwood of this town will carry the matter to court as a test case. Should the case go in his favor the Legislature would have to be called upon to legalize the acts of the town meeting.

Mr. Atwood took a ballot, examined it and then took another. Finding the union label on both, he asked for one without it, and was informed that there were none. He refused to deposit his unmarked ballot in the box until forced to do so by the moderator.

Atwood claims that as a heavy taxpayer he has as much right to advertise his goods on the town. His attorneys will take preliminary steps to-day.

SAYS OHIO IS BRIBE-RIDDEN

COLUMBUS, O., March 12.—Attorney General Wade H. Ellis declared before the legislative committee that Ohio is rotten with bribery. He urged a bill which would make it impossible to obtain convictions in the bribe cases. Speaking of the bridge frauds, Ellis said: "Never have I found a set of men so steeped in bribery as these men.

"There has been widespread bribery of county officials. County Commissioners have made estimates of $125,000 for the bridges they know could be built for $60,000. Estimates have been changed and made larger to suit bids offered."

HOLD HUB MAN FOR HOMICIDE

NEW YORK, March 12.—Fred S. Welch, the well-known automobile manufacturer, of Boston and Poultney, was arrested late last night on a charge of homicide.

He is accused of being responsible for the death of Mrs. Ida Craig, who died as the collision of his machine with one in which Mrs. Craig was riding last Friday afternoon. Welch is said to have been endeavoring at the time to make a record run from Boston. With Welch was Jacob Epstein, the bookmaker, and his wife. Welch denied having collided with any other car.

PRESIDENT TO GET BIG STICK

MANSFIELD, O., March 12.—A big stick has arrived at the Mansfield postoffice en route to Washington to be presented to President Roosevelt.

The big stick is five feet in length, shaped like a baseball bat, and is six inches in diameter at the thickest part.

The stick bears the postmarks of the towns through which it has passed, and the address: "Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States. Big Stick—Please Keep It Going."

It is being sent to the President by the employes of the postal service.

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The Automobile Triumphant Over Its Enemies

The Great Mechanics Building Show Demonstrates the Importance of "the Horseless Carriage," and a Few Statistics Confound its Enemies

The great Mechanics Building and the nearby Symphony Hall packed full of competing makes of automobiles and of various appliances for the automobile; thousands upon thousands of people, passing from one hall to another to examine the new makes of these fascinating machines; the newspapers of Boston crowded to the limit of their capacity with advertisements of the automobile business—all these things go to show the part which the machine which a few years ago was called in mild deprecation, "the horseless carriage," has come to play in the social and business life of the nation.

It is a scant ten years since a motor car, even of the smaller type, was a curiosity in a city street. In another ten years, if the present rate of progress is maintained, the horse will be the curiosity; and that is a consummation most devoutly to be wished for every reason of cleanliness and of sanitation.

It is true that at present the motor car, if we except the very smallest runabouts, is the toy or the useful vehicle of the very rich man. Even so, the numbers in use are multiplying most amazingly, and while at present the study of the manufacturer is rather for increased power and efficiency than for decreased price, the latter will come in time.

Meanwhile, the auto truck and delivery wagon are taking their places in the commercial organization of almost every considerable mercantile establishment in Boston or in any other great city.

The auto has clearly come to stay. Its wider use will lead to improved roads in the country, and to cleaner streets in the city. Its more general acceptance will ultimately put its price at a figure at which the man who now drives that American horror, a horse and buggy, will yet be able to have his smooth, clean-running machine.

The only danger which it has to confront is that of the reckless owner and the irresponsible or untrained chauffeur of the big touring machines.

It should be the study of all interested in the development of this industry, whether as builders or purchasers of the machine, to see that all rightful speed regulations should be carefully observed, and that the man at the steering wheel should be competent, cool and cautious.

The automobile is all right; the people who abuse its possibilities, who distort its usefulness for mere ostentation, are the ones who are doing it hurt.

And, incidentally, have you any idea how small in reality is the number of serious automobile accidents? Mr. McMullin, general manager of the Managers' Association Show, recently held in New York, has made a compilation of figures concerning automobile accidents in Chicago that is extremely interesting and instructive.

In Chicago there are twenty-one hundred street cars and thirty-six hundred automobiles. In 1905 THE STREET CARS KILLED THREE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVEN PEOPLE, AGAINST FIVE KILLED BY MOTOR CARS, AND TWELVE KILLED BY HORSE-DRAWN VEHICLES.

The BOSTON AMERICAN has always urged the development of skill and caution on the part of drivers of autos.

At the same time, we have insisted that the publicity given to accidents of this sort has been greatly out of proportion to their frequency, chiefly because of the social prominence either of the victims or the owners of the machines to which the accidents were due.

"LODGE OF SORROW" AT MONOPOLY LODGE

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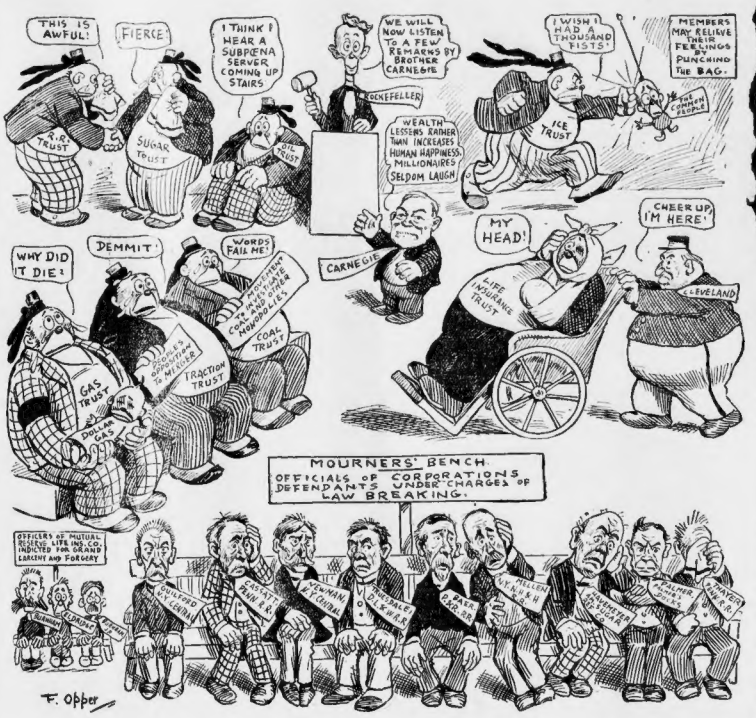
THIS IS AWFUL!
FIERCE
I THINK I HEAR A SUBPŒNA SERVER COMING UP STAIRS
WE WILL NOW LISTEN TO A FEW REMARKS BY BROTHER CARNEGIE
I WISH I HAD A THOUSAND FISTS!
MEMBERS MAY RELIEVE THEIR FEELINGS BY PUNCHING THE BAG.
THE COMMON PEOPLE
R.R. TRUST
SUGAR TRUST
OIL TRUST
ROCKEFELLER
WEALTH LESSENS RATHER THAN INCREASES HUMAN HAPPINESS. MILLIONAIRES SELDOM LAUGH.
ICE TRUST
CARNEGIE
MY HEAD!
CHEER UP, I'M HERE!
WHY DID I DIE?
DEMMIT
WORDS FAIL ME!
COAL TRUST
GAS TRUST
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The Members Call a Meeting to Mourn Over Various Recent Disagreeable Events.

A Codfish Champion

By Charles P. Clark

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts has prevented the Pure Food bill from interfering with the preservation of codfish by the use of borax.—News Item.

Oh, no more the near-quart bottle
will a blended brand diffuse,
And no more pear-pounds of butter, and no more-oil for the cruse;
Even baby's soothing syrup must be labelled if it's dope.
And Professor Wiley's trademark must adorn each cake of soap.
But among the Pilgrim heroes Mr. Lodge will loom up great.

For he saved the sacred codfish of the Old Bay State.

Every tonic for the tired, each emollient for pain
Must confess it's full components, alcohole or cocaine;
No more combined in ketchup, no more canned goods filled with guile,
But the borax in our codfish we must swallow with a smile;
So among the Pilgrim heroes Mr. Lodge will loom up great,
For he saved the sacred codfish of the Old Bay State.

Don't Depend on "Pull" for Success

By Rev. Albert E. George

DOES favoritism or pull rule the world?

President Hyde of Bowdoin, in speaking recently at Harvard, ascribes them some power in the smaller affairs of life.

There is no question but these two elements rule life to a large extent.

You look at a person in a responsible, well-paying position, and you find he is often unequal to its demands.

But he has in his favor some ability that keeps him there. He conceals difficulties by the skin of his teeth, as the Bible says.

He looms up after every failure with no credit to himself. He is kept where he is because of his pull. Others do his work for ability you know of others who would do it just as well.

But some man's work in this work-day world cannot be judged for its mere excellence. It is the consummation. They hardly earn their salt.

But favoritism and pull have their day. They keep in harm gets a boost for a time, but they sooner or later reach the end of their string.

The sense of satisfaction is felt and enjoyed by the man who has hard work coupled with ability in doing it. That man will invariably be a winner.

You can't destroy his record. You can't throw it up in his face that he is petted and groomed with favor, or is polished up with a pull.

He can look you squarely in the eye and say he deserves all he gets, and more if he can get it.

To go into life depending upon your own brawn and brain and win victories, that's the stuff out of which true manhood is made.

It wears. It gains you respect. It anticipates your coming, it makes your enemies declare, "Well, he is an able fellow anyway."

Keep your position in life because you deserve it, not because your father has stock in the concern or your uncle is pulling wires in your behalf.

Stand on your own feet. Let those who were born with a silver spoon live all they please on this sort of treacle.

Climb up, young man, with your own hands, and your own ingenuity. Read the life of Abraham Lincoln, rather than the doings of inherited wealth.

If it is in you, you will be able to compete with and outlive favoritism and all that ilk. It is you that must succeed, not what has been thrust upon you to give you an appearance of success.

Little Editorials from the People

HONOR TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

In the AMERICAN I read where the legislative suffrage committee had given John Golden and the petitioners for the ballot for wage-working women "leave to withdraw." Now this is nothing new for Massachusetts legislators to give suffrage petitioners the opportunity to come again; probably they enjoy seeing them; surely it gives our representatives something to do. But it was an innovation in the history of Massachusetts legislative hearings for a committee to listen to the arguments of a body of women in behalf of the ballot for themselves as productive workers.

Some day this grand old State of which we are so proud will recognize the worth of its working women and honor them with the vote which leads to emancipation. The BOSTON AMERICAN should have the gratitude of every woman who is struggling to free herself from unjust conditions, economic or social, and I am pleased to ask for the publication of this letter in its pages.

ELLEN F. WETHERELL,
President Lynn Equal Rights Club.

THE HALL-ROOM BOYS

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THERE - A LITTLE GASOLINE ODOR ON ONE'S CLOTHES OUGHT TO BE THE REAL THING, WHEN ATTENDING THE AUTOMOBILE SHOW. WE'LL CREATE QUITE AN IMPRESSION WHEN WE GET ALL OUR TOGS ON
WE MUST GET ALL THESE AUTO EXPRESSIONS DOWN PAT. BY SHOWING FAMILIARITY IN OUR CONVERSATION ON THE SUBJECT, WE'LL BE TAKEN FOR THE REAL THING.
1
SAY FERD, THIS CAR HAS ITS MERITS. DO YOU NOTICE THAT THE GEAR CASE IS PLACED CROSS WISE HORIZONTALLY IN FRONT OF THE CHASSIS, AND IS HELD IN POSITION BY A THREE POINT MOTOR SUPPORT.
THE REAR END OF THE DOUBLE OPPOSED MOTOR RESTING UPON A CROSS-MEMBER IS AN IMPROVEMENT TOO.
2
IT'S THOROUGHLY UP TO DATE TOO. THE SPARK ADVANCE IS ON THE TRANSMISSION GEAR.
THE AUTOMATIC SELF-LOCKING IGNITION LEVERS ARE A GOOD SCHEME. WHAT IS YOUR OPINION OF THE THREE REVERSE FOOT THROTTLE
CHUG-CHUG CHUG-CHUG
3
I SEE THE STEERING POST IS BUILT ON A SINGLE SECTOR THAT DOES NOT REVOLVE WITH THE WHEEL. THIS IS AN ADVANTAGE OVER OUR MACHINE.
I SAY OLD MAN, WILL YOU KINDLY REACH DOWN AND GIVE THE IGNITION LEVER A TURN.
W'HAT?
CHUG-CHUG CHUG-CHUG
4
BE CAREFUL PERCY ARE YOU SURE THAT'S THE RIGHT ONE?
CHUG CHUG CHUG CHUG
5
DUBB! YOU'VE MONKIED WITH THE CARBURETOR. I DON'T YOU KNOW BETTER THAN TO FOOL WITH THAT!!
6

THEY HAVE AN INTERESTING TIME AT THE AUTOMOBILE SHOW

The Fire Brigade

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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HARK! high o'er the rattle and clamor and clatter
Of traffic-filled streets, do you hear that loud noise?
And pushing and rushing to see what's the matter,
Like herds of wild cattle, pellmell go the boys.

There's a fire in the city! the engines are coming!
The bold bells are clanging, "Make way in the street!"
The wheels of the hose cart are spinning and humming
In time to the music of galloping feet.

Make way there! make way there! the horses are flying.
The sparks from the swift hoofs shoot higher and higher;
The crowds are increasing—the gamins are crying:
"Hooray, boys!" "Hooray, boys!" "Come on to the fire!"

With clanging and banging, and clatter and rattle,
The long ladders follow the engine and hose;
The men are all ready to dash into battle,
But will they come out again? God only knows.

At windows and doorways crowd questioning faces.
There's something about it that quickens one's breath:
How proudly the brave fellows sit in their places,
And speed to the conflict that may be their death.

Still faster and faster, and faster and faster,
The grand horses thunder and leap on their way;
The red foe is yonder, and may prove the master—
Turn out, there, bold traffic—turn out there, I say!

For once the loud truckman knows oaths will not matter,
And reins in his horses and yields to his fate;
The engines are coming! let pleasure creeds scatter—
Let street cars and truckmen and mail wagon wait.

They speed like a comet, they pass in a minute—
The boys follow on like a tail to a kite;
The commonplace street has but traffic now in it—
The great fire engines have swept out of sight.

Lives of Some Successful Men

By Wex Jones

Lives of rich men all remind us
We can make our pile sublime;
And, departing, leave behind us
Just the words, "He's doing fine."
—John McMullin, *Insurance Magazine.*

JOHN M'ONION, whose name today is in the mouth of every subpœna-server in the State, was born penniless in an obscure Indiana village near the home of a distinct revulsion.

John's school days were uneventful, and he was not a particularly bright pupil, never rising to the distinction of being investigated by the principal. Yet all the time the boy was laying up a store of valuable information and experience.

He contributed to the school athletic fund and was never able to learn what had become of his money. He saw other boys in the same fix and noted their lethargy in such matters.

The boy, he read in his reader, is the father of the man, and John resolved that when he grew up he would work for himself the men who were the sons of the boys.

Accordingly John came to Boston, where he knew there were most pockets. He began his career as an agent by insuring a dying man and getting 98 per cent. of the first year's premium, gaining the good will of his boss by relinquishing any claim to a percentage on renewals of the policy.

Step by step McOnion worked his way up, seeing a new graft in every line of business. After inventing the Postponed Payment Policy, now used by all the big companies, McOnion became president of the Indubitable.

The Postponed Payment plan, it may be explained, is delightfully simple. Instead of paying an endowment policy when it becomes due, the payment is postponed until the policy holder grows tired of trying to get it.

As president of the Indubitable, McOnion got a salary of $50,000. This he raised annually by $10,000 until it reached $150,000.

Everything seemed to prosper with McOnion, and yet he was unhappy. He could not reach the pinnacle of fame. The Indubitable was investigated.

Finally, after ten [illegible] had gone to Europe [illegible] the investigation [illegible] mittee landed M[illegible] surance man [illegible] and McOnion [illegible] that he was